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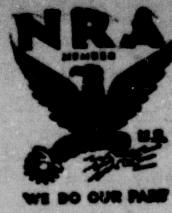
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VIENNA, Dec. 15.—(P)—Austria and Germany tonight seemed equally determined not to let the slaying of two members of an Austrian border patrol disturb their increasingly good relations.

Although the Vienna government earlier in the day was considering immediate representations to Berlin, it was said officially this evening the German government was not held responsible for the death of the patrolmen, alleged to have been shot by "Austrian Legion" Nazis from Germany.

Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg and his foreign minister, Egon Berger Waldenegg, left Budapest for Vienna after their two-day conference with Premier Julius Goemba of Hungary, giving rise to rumors that the conferences had been cut short due to the possibility of Austro-German tension growing out of the incident.

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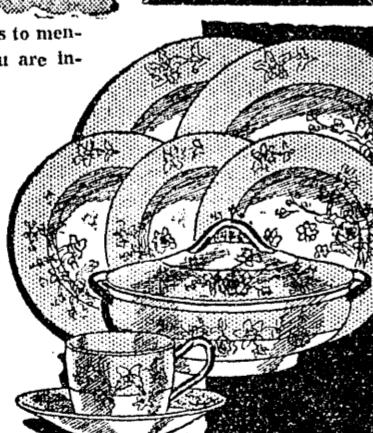
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If Holmes had any doubt as to just where he lived when he was disentangling those "fascinating little mysteries" of the fog shrouded London of the 80's and 90's, the "Irregulars" have settled the question for him.

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Mr. Roosevelt interested himself directly and emphatically only yesterday in connection with the housing program. He wrote letters to the governors of virtually all the states asking laws that would permit larger loans for home construction and repair, to be insured by federal money. His action was taken upon the suggestion of James A. Moffett, housing administrator, who explained that in numerous states loans on mortgages are limited to 50 per cent of value. His own belief was that with federal insurance behind such loans a maximum of 80 per cent would not be too much.

The idea of backing NRA up with state legislation has been broadcast almost from the beginnings of that agency. Fourteen states already have laws providing penalties for code violations. Twelve of these will die automatically with the National Recovery Act next June.

The NRA, however, is to be re-enacted in a modified form, apparently retaining the principles of collective bargaining, maintenance of minimum wages and the ban on child labor. As soon as the details are settled the drive for new state laws will begin.

State legislation, backing up the codes removes entirely the knottiest constitutional question in NRA—the validity of the law as it applies to companies whose products do not pass beyond the boundaries of the state in which they are produced. That question is involved in a case now headed for supreme court adjudication.

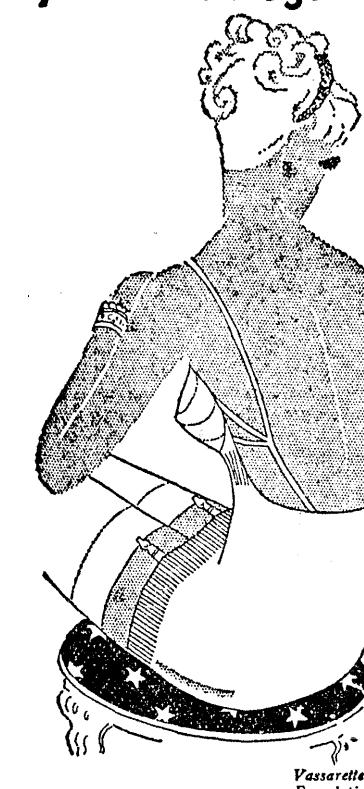
Secretary Perkins spoke up only last night for state unemployment insurance laws and a five day 40-hour week as subjects the legislatures should work on and approve this winter. They should, she said, "get busy without delay."

A bill covering the unemployment insurance question is to have administration backing in the coming session of congress.

From present indications it probably will be based upon a principle of federal action to spur the states into creating state unemployment insurance funds.

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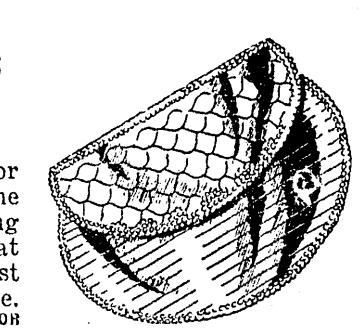
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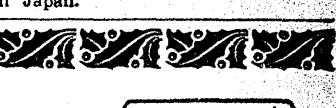
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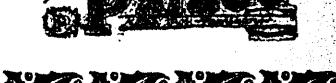
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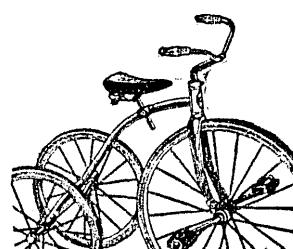
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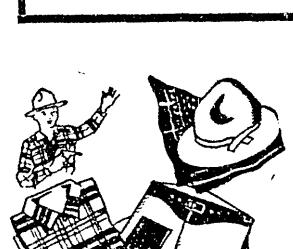
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ADMINISTRATION DESIRES STATES TO ENACT LAWS

Legislation Is Urged To Reinforce Phases Of New Deal

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—(AP)—The administration was shown today to be using the prestige demonstrated at the November election in an unprecedented effort to influence the states to enact laws reinforcing several phases of the New Deal.

With 42 legislatures meeting next month, President Roosevelt himself and prominent members of his official advisory family have been urging state legislation to facilitate NRA code enforcement, provide for unemployment insurance, maximum hours and minimum wages, and to make the PWA and housing programs more effective.

Mr. Roosevelt interested himself directly and emphatically only yesterday in connection with the housing program. He wrote letters to the governors of virtually all the states asking laws that would permit larger loans for home construction and repair, to be insured by federal money.

His action was taken upon the suggestion of James A. Moffett, housing administrator, who explained that in numerous states loans on mortgages are limited to 50 per cent of value. His own belief was that with federal insurance behind such loans a maximum of 80 per cent would be safe.

The idea of backing NRA up with state legislation has been broadcast almost from the beginnings of that agency. Fourteen states already have laws providing penalties for code violations. Twelve of these will be automatically with the National Recovery Act next June.

The NRA, however, is to be re-enacted in a modified form, apparently retaining the principles of collective bargaining, maintenance of minimum wages and the ban on child labor. As soon as the details are settled the drive for new state laws will begin.

State legislation backing up the codes removes entirely the knottiest constitutional question in NRA—the validity of the law as it applies to companies whose products do not pass beyond the boundaries of the state in which they are produced. That question is involved in a case now headed for supreme court adjudication.

Secretary Perkins spoke up only last night for state unemployment insurance laws and a five day 40-hour week as subjects the legislatures should work on and approve this winter. They should, she said, "get busy without delay."

A bill covering the unemployment insurance question is to have administration backing in the coming session of congress.

From present indications it probably will be based upon a principle of federal action to spur the states into creating state unemployment insurance funds.

State hour and wage legislation also

was urged by a conference on labor standards called by Miss Perkins. It was attended by state labor department heads and representatives of civic organizations.

B-Natural Club Plans For Yuletide Program

The annual city-wide Christmas program sponsored by the B-Natural Music club, negro musical organization, will be held next Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. at Martin Temple C. M. E. church, corner Nineteenth and Adams streets. Christmas anthems, Yuletide carols and songs of charm will be rendered by a chorus of forty voices, it was announced.

Randegger's "Praise Ye the Lord," Adams' "O, Holy Night" and Mozart's "Gloria in Excelsis" are among the numbers which will be sung. E. James Hamilton, tenor product of Southern university, and Ethel Harris, local soprano, will sing the obbligato parts in the first two numbers. Rev. G. C. Hayward, pastor of St. James M. E. church, will deliver a Christmas message.

Each year a large number of white and negro citizens attend this special feature of the season.

Hayward Jackson is the director of the chorus and Gladys Brooks Reilly is the accompanist.

Valuable ancient treasures have been excavated in northern Hungary, and many villagers are digging up surrounding farms in quest of riches.

STOLEN AUTO IS RECOVERED HERE

Negro Nabbed In Possession Of Car Purloined At Mer Rouge

A 1929-model coupe driven by Albert Fox, negro, about 27 years of age, alias Houston Spikes, when he was arrested at the traffic bridge on a traffic charge here Friday, had been stolen from an automobile dealer near Mer Rouge, police said Saturday, following an investigation.

Deputy Sheriff Carpenter, of Bataan, came here and returned the negro to Morehouse parish to face charges of automobile theft, and a representative of the Mer Rouge dealers came here and returned the car, which had been stolen from a used car lot.

Officer J. R. Butler of the Monroe police department arrested the negro and carried him to police headquarters, where he was booked with the charge of operating a car without brakes. As the negro was being led from the headquarters to the jail, he suddenly ran from the officer, attempting to escape down the stairs which lead to the second floor. The officer fired one bullet from his pistol, with the muzzle pointed at the floor, and the negro stopped his flight.

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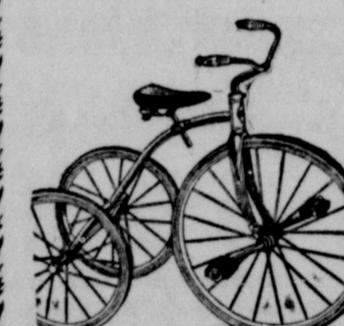
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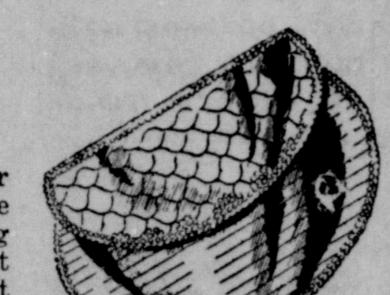
Evening Hats \$3 and \$5



An abbreviated turban of net and sequins or just sequins finished with a tiny veil "crowns" your evening ensemble with glory in either silver or gold.

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Sequin Bags \$1 to \$2.95



Evening bags of silver or gold color sequins give the finishing touch to an evening or dinner ensemble that makes it distinctive and just see how reasonable they are.

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A Challenge To Religion

Many persons are greatly distressed at what they believe to be the ungodliness of certain national governments which are displaying evident antagonism and opposition toward the church and religion.

Could it be that it is the divine Creator Himself who is working through these seemingly backsliding nations to express His displeasure with the church and modern manifestations of religion?

Could it be that God is dissatisfied and displeased with various sects which are timidly and feebly representing Him and possibly in many instances misrepresenting Him?

Could it be that God feels that thorough house-cleaning is needed, that in fact a complete rebuilding is needed and that He, Himself, is clearing away antiquated and rusty machinery and unadaptable structures preparatory to creating an entirely new set-up which will carry on His work as it has never before been carried on, and is not now being carried on?

"This church," declared an outspoken minister at a gathering of leaders of his congregation, "has become a marrying and a burying machine."

It is undoubtedly true that churches of the world are today functioning with feebleness and timidity. They are probably not developing more than ten per cent of their potential power. Many, many of them have got into ruts. Many, many of them amount to nothing more than religious educational institutions of a perfunctory character which do little more than hold religious exercises a certain number of times a week. Their members repeat certain formulas inside of the church building, and leave those formulas behind them when they leave the church building.

It should mean something when a man belongs to a church. It should mean that he has become a determined follower of a righteous course in his life, a staunch adherent of certain principles—inside and outside of the church building, on Sunday and on every other day of the week.

What does it mean, when a man is recommended for certain responsibilities, and it is said of him: "He is a member of such and such a church"? Does it make you feel that you can trust him to do the right thing? It should, if church membership were made to mean what it should mean.

What definite part do many churches play in elevating and strengthening the spiritual and moral life of their communities? How firm an attitude do they take for righteousness in every phase of the community's activities? What demand do many churches make for decency and integrity in business, in profession, in government? Some of the leading churches of the nation are officered and controlled by men whose principles and policies will not bear scrutiny. Others are officered and controlled by men who do not stand four-square for anything. Some ministers, in order to keep off the toes of their congregations, confine their attacks on iniquity to the conduct of certain characters in the Old Testament.

Sometimes it is necessary completely to level, completely to pull down a structure, before a better, more workable, more usable structure can be put in its place. If you were in the place of the divine Creator you probably would be disgusted with the performance being constantly put on, or not being put on, by certain groups, certain sects, theoretically committed to follow your commands and to uphold your standards, yet in reality doing little save making more or less empty gestures.

There are no elements in our civilized life that more need reorganizing, yes, complete reconstructing, than some of our churches. Many of our churches are letting golden hours with their golden opportunities slip by. With an organization as great as theirs, they could if they were sincere and zealous and were living earnestly and energetically by their accepted doctrines, uplift the entire life of any nation in which they have a firm foothold.

God perhaps has lost patience with what some of His churches are doing and not doing.

Heartening evidence that justice still lives has developed in New York City, where a man smelling of garlic has been convicted of disorderly conduct.

Approach of the Christmas season finds peace and good will a rare commodity in Gran Chaco and other corners of this great world of ours.

There's nothing else that cools off a love for the common people like being elected.

They aren't too old to spank if they aren't too old to need it.

More Truth Than Poetry

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE

SELF-DEFENSE

When Winter comes, and soon it must,
I am not worried, bored or fussed;
Beside the blaze
I sing the praise
Of ice and frost and snow.
Though blizzards roar around my cot
I'm quite contented with my lot;
I have no fear
That I shall hear
The neighbor's radio.

This neighbor partial is to croons,
He loves the moaning of bassoons,
He also has

A taste for jazz,
Which vastly I abhor;
But, now the snow is on the ground,
I cannot hear a single sound.

His window's closed,
I'm not exposed
To torture any more.

The Spring to you may bring delight,
But when the sun shines clear and bright

A brazen blare
Is on the air
And drives all peace away.

There's only one thing I can do
Which may vindictive seem to you—

I'm going to get
A radio set
And run it night and day.

WORTH TRYING

It might help if the government would pay some of the disturbers not to raise the dues.

JUST A SLAP ON THE WRIST

"Harvard Tests Declare Radio a Poor Educator." That's nothing to what we call it when the people next door leave the windows open till past midnight.

A SERIOUS LACK

Too bad there isn't some board or other which would pay the administration for not raising the taxes.

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Place Of Eternal Darkness

By BRUCE CATTON

William Beebe tells about his trip to the ocean depths in a new book, "Half Mile Down," and he writes as a man might write who had visited the mountains on the other side of the moon.

For this amazing descent in a hollow steel ball to the black depths of the sea has, clearly, a window to another life, a glimpse at marvels such as no man can look upon without being forever changed.

Going down, says Dr Beebe, the spectrum is progressively drained of its colors. Presently all the sea is a rich, luminous blue—a mirage of warm color, seemingly brighter than sunlight, flawless in its clarity, unforgettable in its beauty.

Then, as the sphere drops on down, the blue deepens and darkens. At 2,000 feet the last trace of light is gone. Then comes blackness—a blackness more profound and impenetrable than anything dreamed of in the upper world. Never before, he says, had he realized what the word "black" really meant.

But this blackness is inhabited. The old belief that the abyssal depths were almost lifeless is completely untrue. The blackness is speckled with a myriad tiny lights as gaudy fish, each lit up like an ocean liner, swim by; and now and then the vague, unlighted outlines of some unidentifiable sea monster is glimpsed in the distance.

There is not space here to relate a tenth of the marvels Dr. Beebe describes. Let us suffice to say that his book is an incredibly interesting thing, filled with beauty and wonder.

BARBS

A congressman protests the use of President Roosevelt's picture in a liquor ad thanking the president for repeal. Of course, don't they know it was congress that passed the repeal law?

We may not understand Yugo-Slavia's reasons for banishing the Hungarians and appealing to the League of Nations for justice, but it must be the genius in little King Peter.

Senate inquires needn't worry the munitions manufacturers, so long as Norman Davis in Europe promises we'll keep on building battleships as fast as Japan does.

The race between Communism and Fascism in Europe seems to depend on the number of unfortunates each can stand up before a firing squad.

A prisoner in New York greased his handcuffs and escaped. He probably didn't have the grease necessary for the palm of his guard.

The "400" may still get millions in profits, but President Roosevelt is more interested in seeing the four million get billions in relief.

College, says a professor, teaches you to think. And if you miss college, you can get the same results from a wife and six kids.

Prisoners who snore, at Joliet, are segregated from the others, because the Constitution forbids "cruel and unusual punishment."

What industry wants to know is, how can President Roosevelt save capitalism by spending capital?

Civil service: A merit system that gives the job to the best man who belongs to the right party.

If he says that all public speakers are show-offs and bores, he means that he can't make a speech.

Another nice thing about being rich is that nobody minds lending you things for your party.

It is safer to marry a widow. She learned to cook by practicing on another man's stomach.

You can tell a home of the poor. If a home is in a mess, the lady is rich enough to have servants.

Hitler, seeking harmony in Germany, finds discord with—of all people—his musicians.

AS THE WORLD WAGS

The knitting-frame used in manufacture of silk stockings in England is substantially the same today as when invented in the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

During the first 12 months of its operation, the Illinois sales tax produced \$36,632,933 in revenue for the state.

Hearing, as a rule, is more acute with the right ear than with the left.

Famine has infested India more than any other country in all history.

The ancient Egyptians are credited with the first brewing of beer.

Rattlesnakes are so deaf that they cannot hear their own rattle.

The brain of an elephant is no larger than that of a man.

New Deal In Washington

By Rodney Dutcher

WASHINGTON.—The more you hear about what happened in Nebraska this fall, the more significant it seems among the fall election results. And the more prestige it gives to Senator George W. Norris, the independent progressive whose friends expect him to be the most effective leader in the new congress.

Nowhere, the facts detailed by returning Nebraskans indicate, has there been such a victory for a non-partisan popular leader over the combined forces of politicians and the powerful groups customarily behind them as in Nebraska's vote for a non-partisan one-house legislature.

A Lonely Fight
Norris began the fight for his proposal alone. Both the Republican and Democratic organizations fought him to the end. The power group and all other interests accustomed to lobbying successfully in the existing two-house legislature threw their full strength against him. None of the major candidates for office supported the reform and nearly all members of or candidates for the legislature opposed it violently. Most newspapers objected.

Yet Norris, with an unfamiliar issue, picked up so much support that the one-house legislature won by about 3 to 2, with a majority of 93-00.

At the age of 73, paying his own expenses, Norris flattered around the state and made from one to five speeches a day. Rapidly, voters absorbed the idea that legislative conferences were inimical to popular government and easily manipulated by agents of special privilege.

The Checks and the Balance
The senator's old enemies banded against him, hoping to discredit him in defeat and perhaps establish Arthur Mullen, Democratic boss and Washington lobbyist, as boss of the state. They pleaded earnestly for the sacred constitution and its system of "checks and balances."

When the books are balanced on adjournment of the legislature, Norris replied, "It's always found that the politicians have the checks and the special interests have the balance."

Most types of hypocrisy and skullduggery Norris has observed during 30 years in congress are provided against in the Nebraska measure. And in Washington Norris is looking forward to the first non-lame-duck congress under his 26th amendment to the federal constitution—another victory for popular government. More than nearly anyone else, he is worth watching this winter.

Crowned Into Congress

Most of us seem to have overlooked another Nebraska victory of Mr. Karl Steffen, who defeated the veteran Democratic Congressman Edgar Howard.

This one may be significant, too, for Steffen won on the caressing appeal of his radio voice. For years a radio announcer at Norfolk, Neb., Karl was a great favorite with the folks.

He had never taken any part in politics or public affairs and he stuck to that radio right through the campaign. Howard tried desperately to get him to discuss issues, but the sweet-voiced Steffen was too busy broadcasting his personal condolences on the death of a loved one in some farmhouse or congratulating a couple of poor wrecks elsewhere on the birth of twins.

This new technique of baby-kissing by air easily defeated Howard, who put on a terrific campaign despite his 76 years and the damaging assertion of his primary opponent that he wouldn't live out his term.

She Didn't Smile
Occasional rumors that Secretary of Labor Perkins will resign within a few months are greeted with hearty horse laughs from many who know her well. Some of them call her "the Empress" and insist that nothing could persuade her to relinquish her position of power.

Nevertheless, indications are that Madame Secretary isn't entirely happy over the fact that the national labor relations board has consistently exhibited a strong mind of its own and demonstrated a rather more radical point of view than Miss Perkins.

Asked to comment on a recent NLRB decision, she said: "Congress in its wisdom passed a resolution, now in the form of a statute, giving exclusive jurisdiction over 7-A to the national labor relations board, to my personal view on the national labor relations board has consistently exhibited a strong mind of its own and demonstrated a rather more radical point of view than Miss Perkins."

And she didn't smile when she said it, either.

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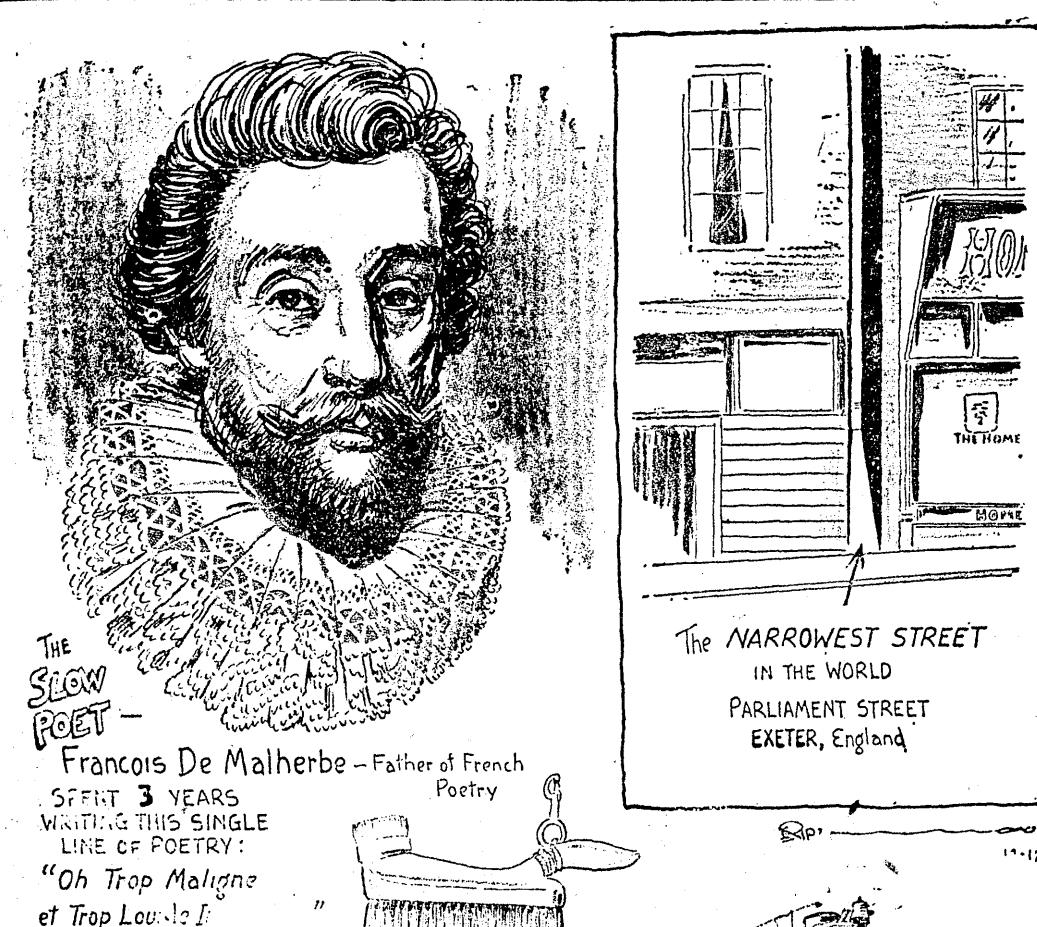
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Clean, Wholesome Pictures Score Victory In Film Survey

By Dan Thomas
(NEA Service Staff Correspondent)
HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 15.—Any of you people, who have been laying bets as to who is the outstanding star in motion pictures today, now can pay off—or collect, if you're lucky. The correct answer is, Will Rogers. That's not merely my personal opinion, either. It's the opinion of the combined independent exhibitors (theater owners without any studio connection to prejudice them)

throughout the United States, all of whom were polled in a survey just completed by the Motion Picture Herald, leading film trade publication.

What a break that is for those who have been campaigning for clean films! Rogers, who consistently has stood for good clean entertainment with plenty of laughs, won in a walk—replacing the late Marie Dressler who had been in first place for two years. However, despite her death, the grand old lady of the screen was not crowded out entirely. She still ranks among the ten biggest money makers of the year. And that, with but a single new picture during 1934. The ten leading stars, listed accord-

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This list shows, among other things, an ever increasing tendency on the part of the American public to retain old favorites. Only two new names, Crosby and Shirley Temple, are in the line-up. All of the others were among the ten leaders last year. And many of them were in similar positions two years ago.

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MISSISSIPPI JURY ACQUITS QUINTON OF SLAYING GIRL

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In a steady voice young Quinton entered a blanket denial that he was in any way connected with the death of the girl and told a bizarre story that a reputed confession was wrung from him by officers who threatened "to break my neck."

The state charged that the gum drop was given the girl while the pupils were en route home on a school bus and that it was an act of revenge for a whipping administered the youth after he was alleged to have insulted the girl.

The defense rested its case after the testimony of the defendant had been completed and it was advanced toward the arguments without the offering of rebuttal testimony by the state.

In a steady voice the defendant, who said he was 17 years old, denied categorically each allegation presented by the state during the two and one-half days required to make its case.

His testimony that the alleged confession was drawn from him under an asserted threat that his "neck would be broken" if he did not give the right answers, attracted the chief attack of the state on its cross-examination.

Through J. E. Rice, a constable, the state had produced evidence that the defendant made a free and voluntary confession of the alleged crime.

The youth's statement assertedly was made in the presence of Rice, Bradford Dye, Charleston attorney and special prosecutor for the Scott family, and a notary public.

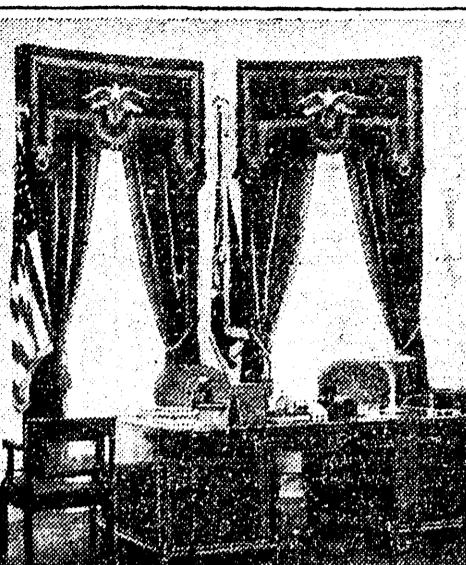
"Mr. Dye, Mr. Rice and Mr. Scott came to the school house last April and took me to jail," the youth testified.

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The state charged that the gum drop was given the girl while the pupils were en route home on a school bus and that it was an act of revenge for a whipping administered the youth after he was alleged to have insulted the girl.

The defense rested its case after the testimony of the defendant had been completed and it was advanced toward the arguments without the offering of rebuttal testimony by the state.

In a steady voice the defendant, who said he was 17 years old, denied categorically each allegation presented by the state during the two and one-half days required to make its case.

His testimony that the alleged confession was drawn from him under an asserted threat that his "neck would be broken" if he did not give the right answers, attracted the chief attack of the state on its cross-examination.

Through J. E. Rice, a constable, the state had produced evidence that the defendant made a free and voluntary confession of the alleged crime.

The youth's statement assertedly was made in the presence of Rice, Bradford Dye, Charleston attorney and special prosecutor for the Scott family, and a notary public.

"Mr. Dye, Mr. Rice and Mr. Scott came to the school house last April and took me to jail," the youth testified.

"They wouldn't tell me right away what they were arresting me for. About three hours after they put me in jail Mr. Rice and Mr. Dye came to the cell and began questioning me about giving some poison candy to Marjorie May. I told them I didn't do it. Mr. Dye said 'I'll break your neck if you don't confess' and Mr. Rice told me they could send me to the penitentiary for life."

"I told them I didn't do it, but when he told me he would break my neck I got scared and told them I did and then signed the statement. Mr. Dye wrote. He would read a paragraph and ask me if it was true and I told him 'no.' Then he would say 'I'll break your neck' and I told him it was true. Every time he asked me a question he told me if I didn't answer 'Yes' he would break my neck."

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The new White House office plant for taking care of the increased burden of work and correspondence is now complete and running smoothly. At top right is the president's desk, moved into the pleasant room which is now his office, looking out on the south grounds of the White House through bay windows indicated by the arrow in the picture at left. Below is a group of the secretarial staff of the White House, now lodged in airier, more pleasant quarters than ever before.

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he said, the federal government would exercise a wider control over the administration of the insurance funds by the states than would have been had under the Wagner-Lewis bill.

This measure, which failed of enactment last session after sturdy opposition by employer interests, would have levied a federal payroll tax but would have deducted from this levy any contributions to state unemployment insurance funds, thus seeking to spur the creation of state systems.

The greater measure of federal control projected under the new plan, the same source said, had given rise to the impression in some quarters that the federal government would grant a subsidy to those states which enacted unemployment insurance that conformed to standards set up by the national law.

It was indicated that the cost of administering the plan probably would be borne by the federal government.

The plan approved by the council won over another method of insurance after a close vote. The details of the other plan were not disclosed.

The proposal that the employer bear the full expense of the insurance had been advanced by the American Federation of Labor. Secretary Perkins advocated it in a speech last night. Both she and the federation said that if the employer bore the full expense he would pass it along to the consumer in the form of slightly increased prices and that in this manner the workers would bear a portion of the expense.

The argument was presented that since the worker made up more than 75 per cent of the buying populace, if he contributed to the unemployment insurance cost directly, he would be in a position of making a double contribution because he would help to bear the employer's share through payment of increased prices.

All of the forms of unemployment insurance studied by the experts during the months they spent in assembling material for the council and the cabinet committee, which will pass on the plan before it goes to the president, were based on the idea that a payroll tax would be employed.

The amount of the tax remained a little uncertain, with three per cent the most widely discussed figure.

Identified as having been taken from Grant's store at Eros.

In a room said to have been rented by Logue and Pace the officers found several pairs of shoes, shirts, socks, overalls, trousers and other articles of wearing apparel, some of which were identified as having been taken in the Eros burglary and some of which were identified as having been stolen in the Jonesboro burglary.

After the arrest of Logue, officers here telephoned to the sheriff at Jonesboro and he and a deputy came to Monroe and gave information which resulted in the arrest of Pace, who was taken into custody at a house about three miles out of West Monroe.

In Pace's room the officers said they found about 35 boxes of shotgun shells, some of which showed the cost mark used by Grant's store. They also found several other articles, including tobacco. In an automobile alleged to have been used in the burglary the officers found a tag or label said to have been removed from a pair of socks or stockings obtained in one of the burglaries.

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The class, Edward Megargee, teacher, says, is probably the first in live-animal drawing in the country.

The students started out by sketching an Irish terrier, a pair of monkeys, a Scotty dog, macaw, and then a squirrel which slept through the whole class. The first session was proclaimed successful although the Scotty dog and macaw set up a loud racket when they took a dislike to each other.

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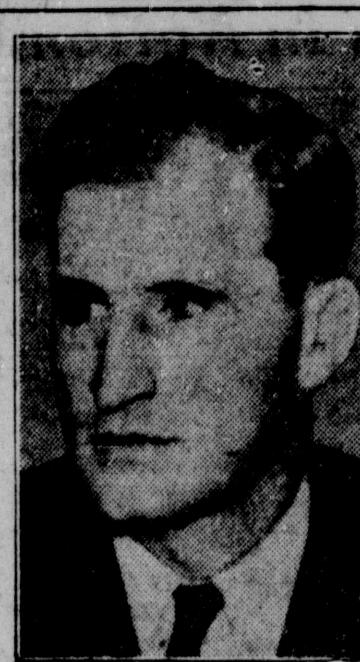
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Merchants had decorated their show windows and the interiors of their stores with Christmas colors and the section foretold in an interesting manner the nearness of the holiday season.

Gardener Honors Roosevelt With 13,000-Plant Floral

VIRGINIA, Minn., Dec. 15.—(AP)—Gunnar Peterson, head gardener of the Virginia park department, used 13,000 plants of 12 different varieties in paying a floral tribute to President Roosevelt.

He laid out a flower bed in which the plants spelled the words: "In honor of Franklin D. Roosevelt, leader of our nation." Photographs of the bed, sent to the president, brought a word of appreciation.

DOKE ACQUITTED OF SLAYING HIS WIFE'S PARAMOUR

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which he said he believed the affair had been broken up.

Then a neighbor of the Dokes, Mrs. Elizabeth Englis, disclosed to the milk inspector that Mrs. Doke had entrusted to her a series of ardent love letters to Hollingshead.

Doke put the letters in one pocket and his pistol in another and came to Woodland last July 26. He confronted Hollingshead in the bunk house of a ranch where the young poet had been working.

The milk inspector testified he confronted the poet and demanded the return of letters written to Hollingshead by Mrs. Doke. Hollingshead, Doke said, began fumbling in his suit case.

Doke said he pulled out his pistol as a matter of protection, and then

asked Hollingshead to write a letter to Mrs. Doke saying all he had wanted of her was her physical self. Hollingshead refused and the fatal shot rang out. Doke said he did not remember pulling the trigger.



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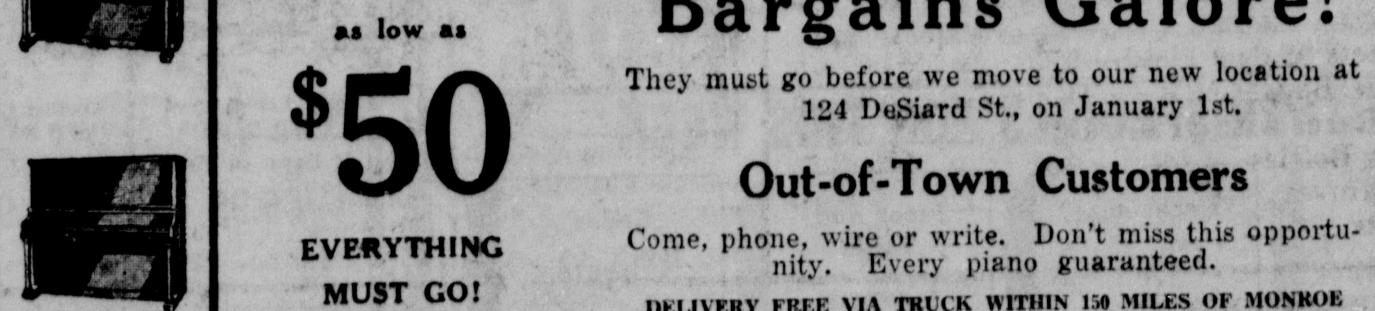
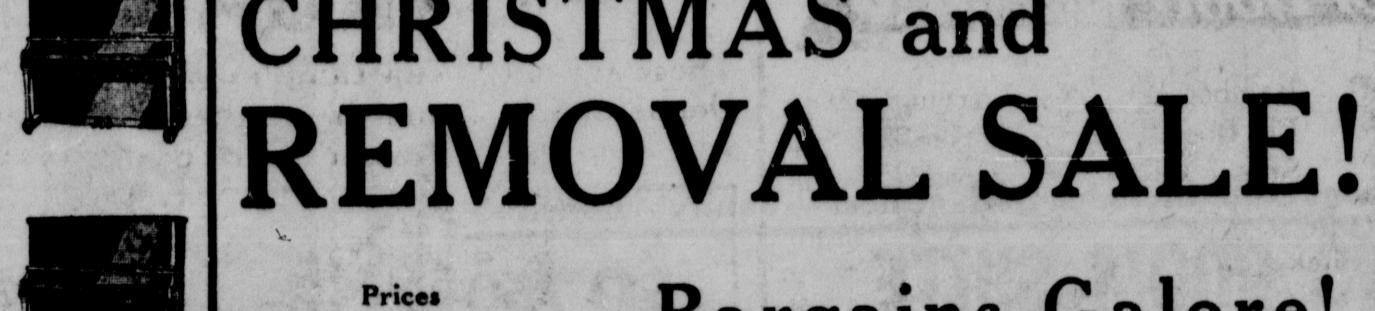
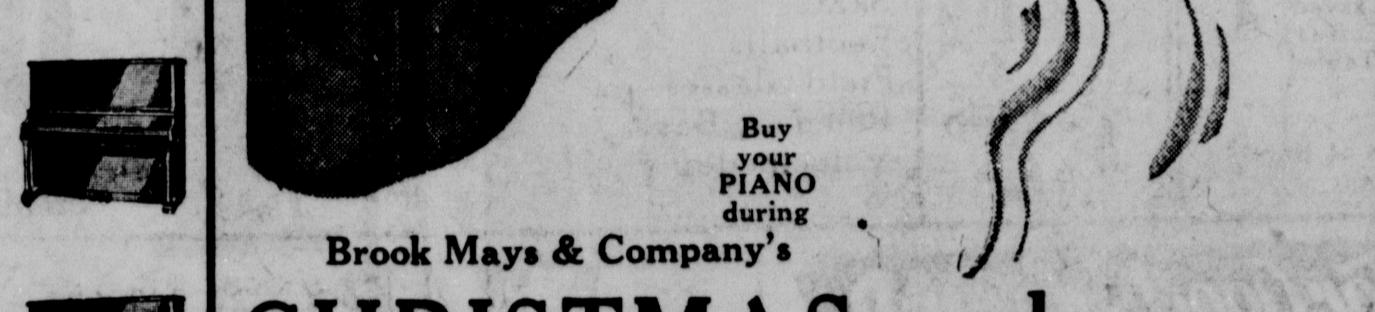
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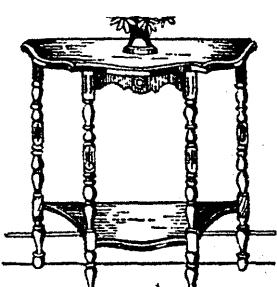
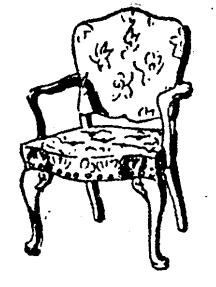
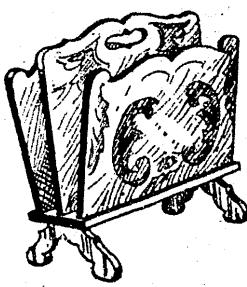
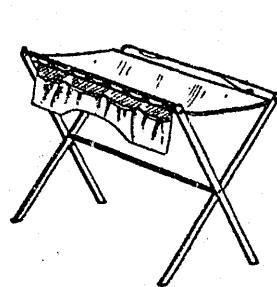
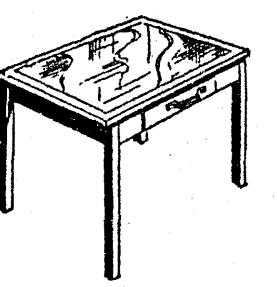
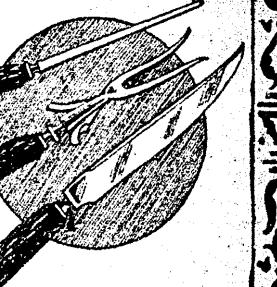
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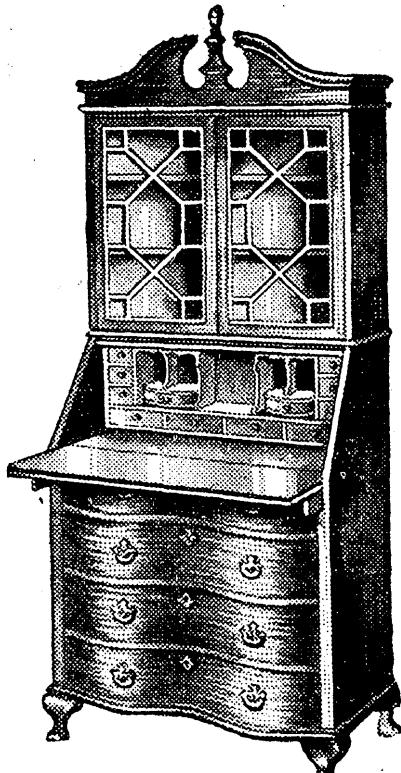


							
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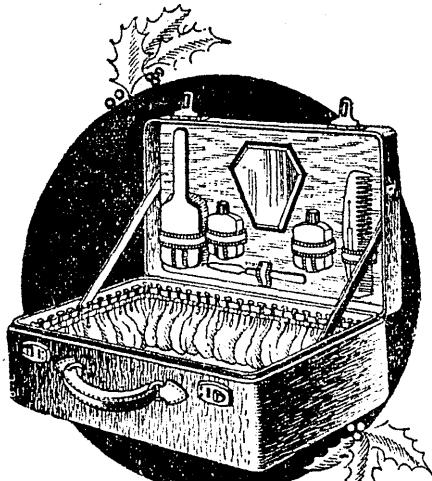
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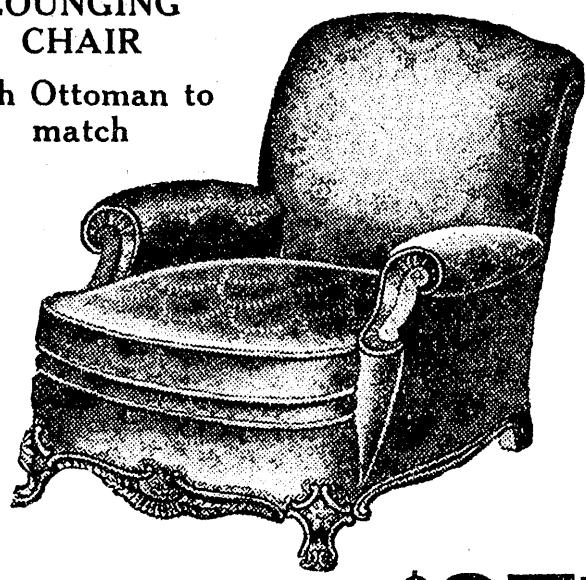


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Tests are being made between Belfast and Wigtownshire, Scotland, with a new apparatus which embodies improvements on the present beam system used for Empire calls.

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This measure, which failed of enactment last session after sturdy opposition by employer interests, would have levied a federal payroll tax but would have deducted from this levy any contributions to state unemployment insurance funds, thus seeking to spur the creation of state systems.

The greater measure of federal control projected under the new plan, same source said, had given rise to the impression in some quarters that the federal government would grant a subsidy to those states which enacted unemployment insurance that conformed to standards set up by the national law.

It was indicated that the cost of administering the plan probably would be borne by the federal government.

The plan approved by the council won over another method of insurance after a close vote. The details of the other plan were not disclosed.

The proposal that the employer bear the full expense of the insurance had been advanced by the American Federation of Labor. Secretary Perkins advocated it in a speech last night. Both she and the federation said that if the employer bore the full expense he would pass it along to the consumer in the form of slightly increased prices and that in this manner the workers would bear a portion of the expense.

The argument was presented that since the worker made up more than 75 per cent of the buying populace, if he contributed to the unemployment insurance cost directly, he would be in a position of making a double contribution because he would help to bear the employer's share through payment of increased prices.

All of the forms of unemployment insurance studied by the experts during the months they spent in assembling material for the council and the cabinet committee, which will pass on the plan before it goes to the president, were based on the idea that a payroll tax would be employed.

The amount of the tax remained a little uncertain, with three per cent the most widely discussed figure.

THREE MEN HELD FOR BURGLARIES

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tioned as having been taken from Grant's store at Eros.

In a room said to have been rented by Logue and Pace the officers found several pairs of shoes, shirts, socks, overalls, trousers and other articles of wearing apparel, some of which were identified as having been taken in the Eros burglary and some of which were identified as having been stolen in the Jonesboro burglary.

After the arrest of Logue, officers here telephoned to the sheriff at Jonesboro and he and a deputy came to Monroe and gave information which resulted in the arrest of Pace, who was taken into custody at a house about three miles out of West Monroe.

In Pace's room the officers said they found about 35 boxes of shotgun shells, some of which showed the cost mark used by Grant's store. They also found several other articles, including tobacco. In an automobile alleged to have been used in the burglary the officers found a tag or label said to have been removed from a pair of socks or stockings obtained in one of the burglaries.

While engaged in arresting Pace, the officers took Sid Arnold into custody on a charge of disturbing the peace. Following a further investigation, it was said that he would also be charged with participating in the burglaries.

Live Animals Pose For Sketching Class

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—(AP)—Live monkeys, cats, dogs, squirrels and other animals have been introduced as models for students in an animal-drawing class of the New York Art Institute—and the Bronx and Central Park zoos are to cooperate by lending a few lions and tigers.

The class, Edward Megargee, teacher, says, is probably the first in live-animal drawing in the country.

The students started out by sketching an Irish terrier, a pair of monkeys, a Scotty dog, macaw, and then a squirrel which slept through the whole class. The first session was proclaimed successful although the Scotty dog and macaw set up a loud racket when they took a dislike to each other.

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Merchants had decorated their show windows and the interiors of their stores with Christmas colors and the season foretold in an interesting manner the nearness of the holiday season.

Gardener Honors Roosevelt With 13,000-Plant Floral

VIRGINIA, Minn., Dec. 15.—(AP)—Gunnar Peterson, head gardener of the Virginia park department, used 13,000 plants of 12 different varieties in paying a floral tribute to President Roosevelt.

He laid out a flower bed in which the plants were spelled the words: "In honor of Franklin D. Roosevelt, leader of our nation."

Photographs of the bed, sent to the president, brought a word of appreciation.

DOKE ACQUITTED OF SLAYING HIS WIFE'S PARAMOUR

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Then a neighbor of the Dokes, Mrs. Elizabeth Englis, disclosed to the milk inspector that Mrs. Doke had entrusted to her a series of ardent love letters to Hollingshead.

Doke put the letters in one pocket and his pistol in another and came to Woodland last July 26. He confronted Hollingshead in the bunk house of a ranch where the young poet had been working.

The milk inspector testified he confronted the poet and demanded the return of letters written to Hollingshead by Mrs. Doke. Hollingshead, Doke said, began fumbling in his suit case.

Doke said he pulled out his pistol as a matter of protection, and then

asked Hollingshead to write a letter to Mrs. Doke saying all he wanted of her was her physical self. Hollingshead refused and the fatal shot rang out. Doke said he did not remember pulling the trigger.



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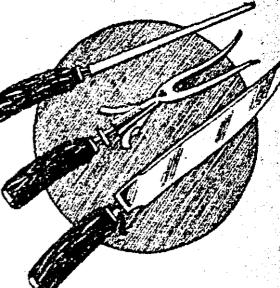
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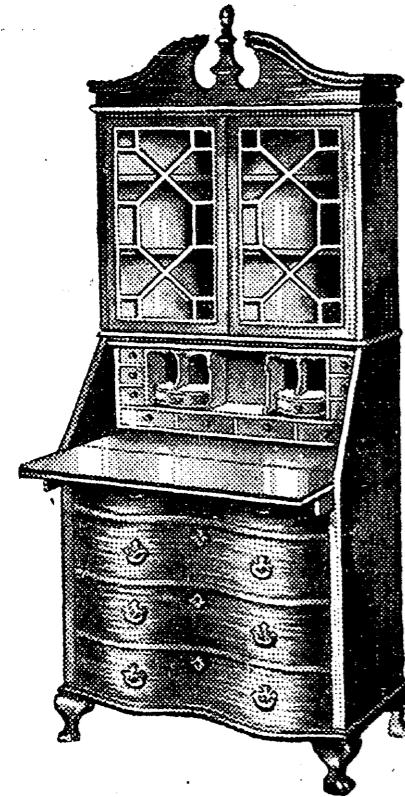
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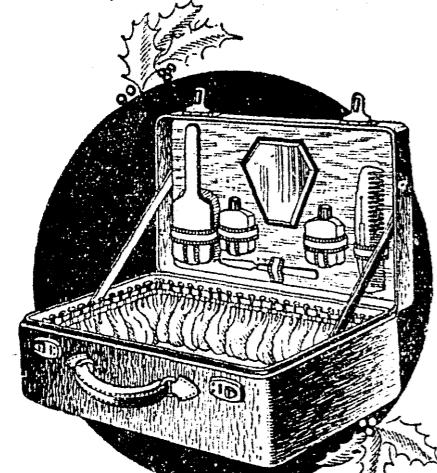
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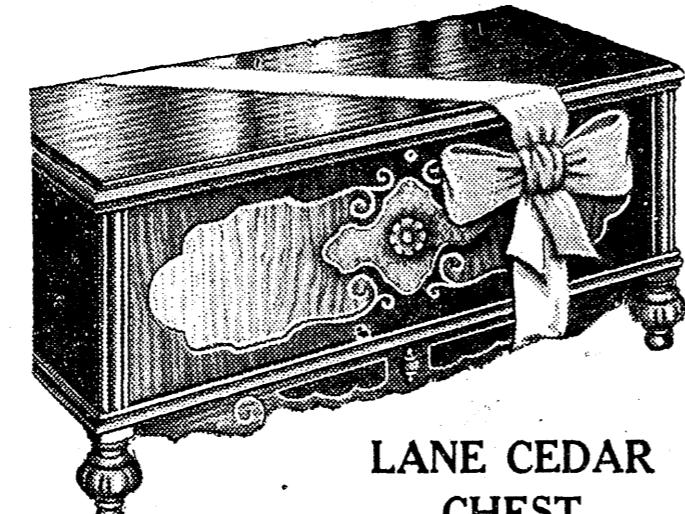


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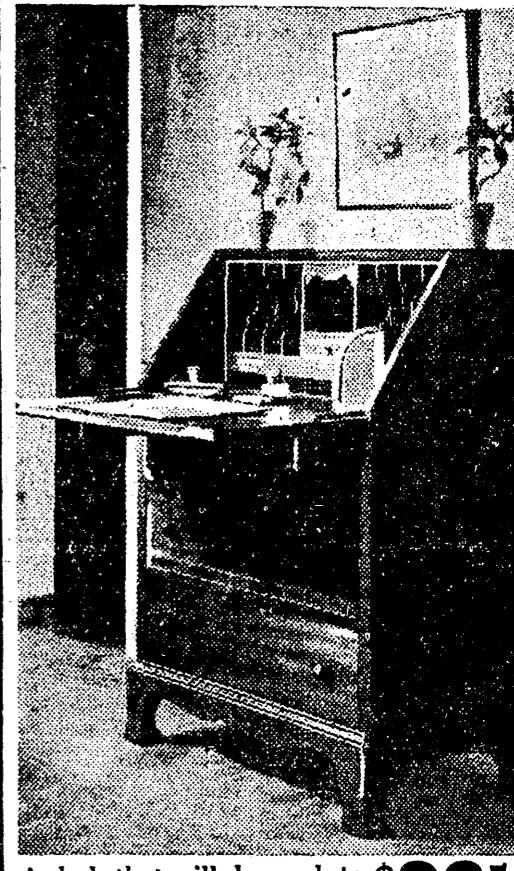
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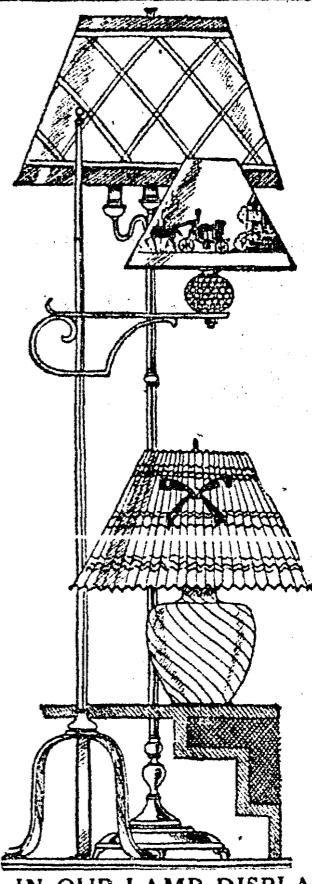
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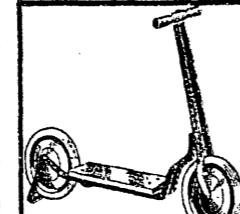
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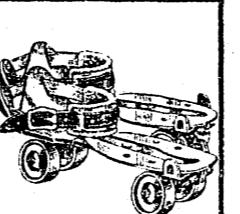
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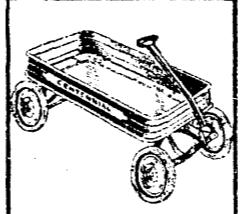
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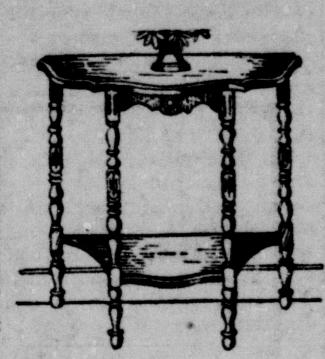
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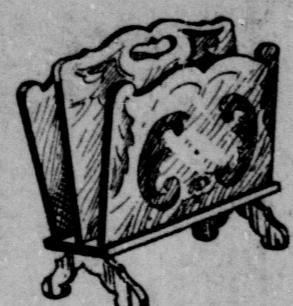
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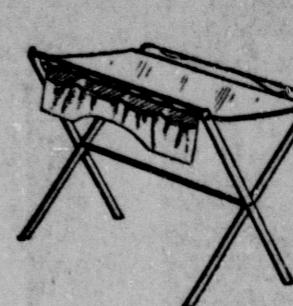
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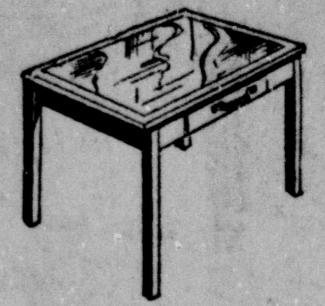
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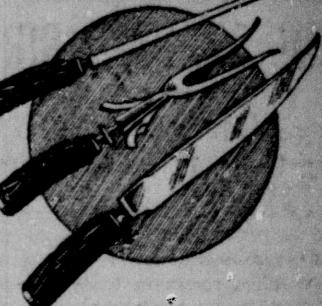
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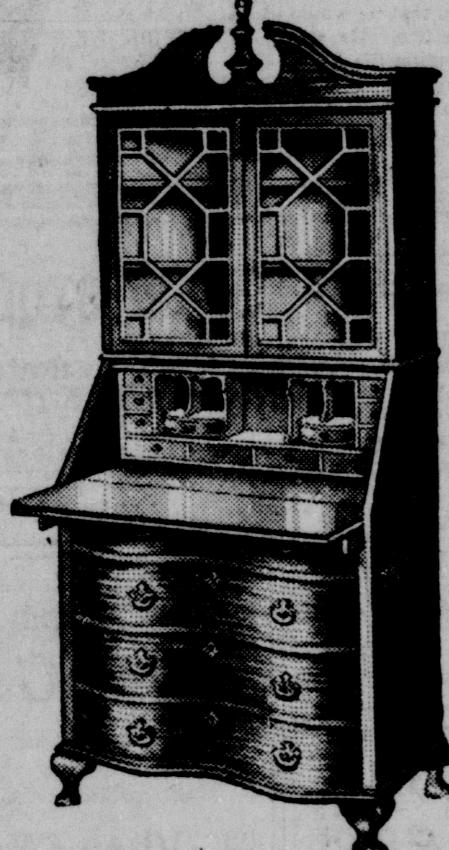
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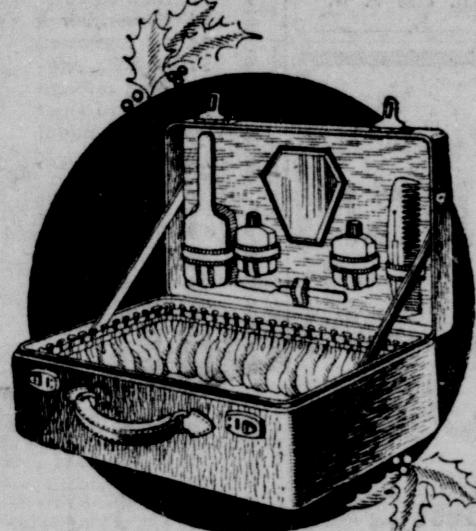
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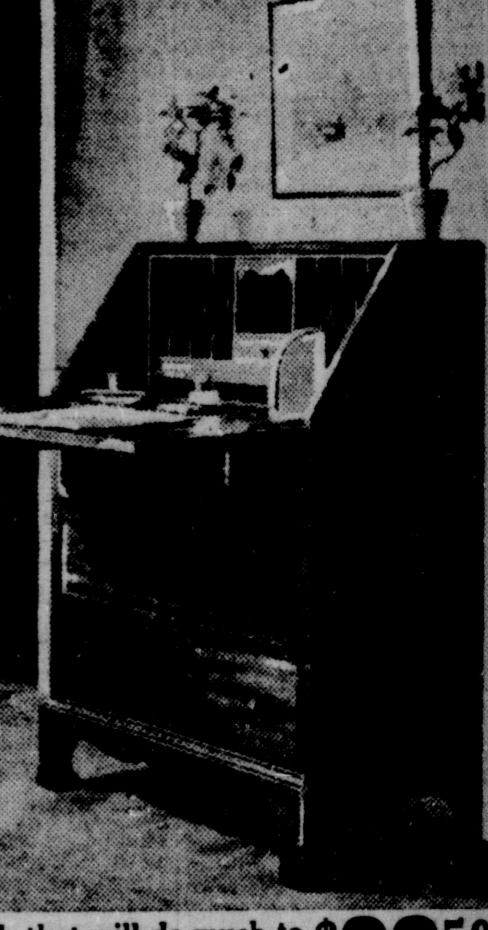
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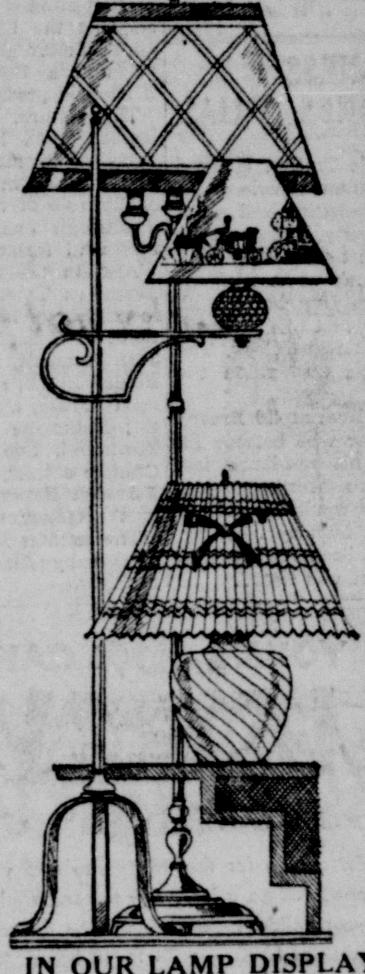
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Set	\$3.95
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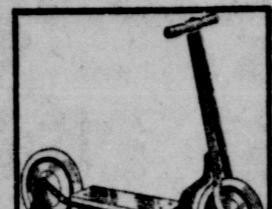
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respective ways, having left the life-
less Usworth to be driven bottom-
ward.

Risking disaster, the Jean Jadot had
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a few feet of the Usworth's side, while
the Ascania stood by and pumped
tons of oil onto the troubled
waters.

The Jean Jadot, more difficult to
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IS THIS TO HAPPEN SOON—AGAIN?



WOLVES FOLLOW 3 LOST PERSONS

Man And Girl, Carrying
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In Farm House

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ward a farm home. Suddenly a dozen
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Carrying the child in blankets, the
pair plunged blindly through the deep
snow. Behind them came the wolves.
When the exhausted couple paused
for breath, the wolves crept closer
but feared to attack. Unarmed, Mc-
Henry made no attempt to repel the
animals for fear of exciting them to
attack.

Hour after hour, the desperate pair
staggered on with the child until fi-
nally the lights of a farm house
pierced the darkness. Suffering from
cold, fear and exhaustion they made
their way to the haven.

None of the three suffered any seri-
ous illness. The wolves did not ap-
proach the house.

Lake Providence

AT THE CAPITOL—If there
has been any doubt about Greta Gar-
bo's long-standing reputation as the
greatest film star of them all, it has

been definitely settled by her new-
est production, "The Painted Veil,"
which closes its engagement today at
the Capitol theater.

Out of the past, from the sealed
and guarded archives of the great
nations, the truth arrives at last, ac-
cording to those who have witnessed
preview showings of this amazing
motion picture.

Here, it is said, is the first authen-
tic and uncensored screen record of
the great conflict—and more than
that. The very sources of the World
war are said to be pictured in the
film, for many motion picture records
of events leading up to the conflict
are given to the public for the
first time. Intimate glimpses of Eu-
rope's royalty in the years before
the war, of their conferences, their align-
ments, their secret plans, have been
entrusted to Fox Film for use in this
picture.

Besides these, there are sensational
and hitherto unrecorded pictures of
the important battles of the war,
both on land and sea, and a great
variety of glimpses of life behind the
fronts.

Laurence Stallings, who conceived
the best-selling volume, "The First
Great War," has acted in the capacity
of editor for the film based on his
book. Simon and Schuster, publish-
ers of the book, have served in an ad-
visory capacity in the making of the
film and Truman Talley is named
as producer.

The grim evidence is at hand, al-
last—"Mankind's greatest confession.
To judge from all advance reports,
"The First World War" is a film not
to be missed.

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that an elephant never forgets is
true, and that he proved it while
working on his latest First National
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In one of the scenes, ten elephants
take part. Joe wandered by to watch
the proceedings and one of the big
fellows thrust out his long trunk,
caught Joe by the shoulders and drew
him close. Then the elephant stuck
his trunk in the pocket of Joe's coat.
Joe stepped back in amazement and
studied the animal.

S. L. Cronin, the circus manager,
told him the elephant was "Alonzo,"
formerly used with the Floto circus.
Alonzo had been a favorite of Joe's
back in 1904 when the screen star was
a performer in the Floto circus and
he had devised the trick of hiding
peanuts in his coat pocket and stand-
ing just beyond Alonzo's reach. The
big fellow had learned to draw him
close in order to hunt for the nuts.

Thirty years after Joe had last seen
the elephant, Alonzo had remembered
Joe and the trick of the hidden
peanuts. Joe saw to it that Alonzo was
supplied with plenty of peanuts.

The supporting cast of Joe's picture
includes Patricia Ellis, Gordon West-
cott, Dorothy Burgess, Donald Dill-
way and a score of famous circus per-
formers.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilenick, 301
Louisville avenue, announced yester-
day the birth of a son December 5 at
St. Francis sanitarium. The baby has
been named Raymond Morris Wilenick.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cay announced
yesterday the birth of a daughter on
December 11. The baby was named
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Mississippian Pledges To
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Mike S. Conner

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 15.—(AP)—
Basing his campaign upon the broad
program of industrial and agricultural
development and pledging a continu-
ation of "the splendid work of the
present administration in placing the
state's finances on a sound basis,"
Hugh L. White, of Columbia, formal-
ly announced today his candidacy for
governor.

White's brief announcement came
as no surprise, as it had been ex-
pected for many weeks that he would
again aspire to the office. He was
a candidate in 1931, leading the ticket
in the first primary by a small mar-
gin, but going down in defeat in
the swing to Mike S. Conner in the
runoff.

Exuding confidence and declar-
ing that he has received many encour-
aging reports from every section of the
state, White indicated that he will

make a careful canvass of the state
next summer.

He has covered almost every section
during the past few weeks addressing
various non-political organizations and
contacting his supporters.

The five men already in the race
are: Judge Paul B. Johnson, of Hatties-
burg; Dennis Murphree, of Cal-
houn City and Jackson, present lieu-
tenant-governor; Lester Franklin, of
Clarksdale and Jackson, and Dr. E. A.
Copeland, single tax candidate, of
Jackson.

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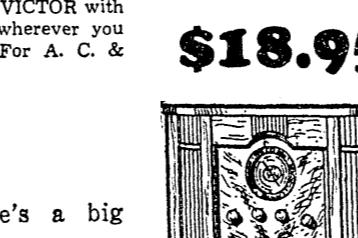
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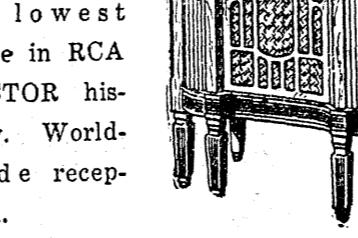
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S. L. Cronin, the circus manager, told him the elephant was "Alonzo," formerly used with the Floto circus. Alonzo had been a favorite of Joe's back in 1904 when the screen star was a performer in the Floto circus and he had devised the trick of hiding peanuts in his coat pocket and standing just beyond Alonzo's reach. The big fellow had learned to draw him close in order to hunt for the nuts.

Thirty years after Joe had last seen the elephant, Alonzo had remembered Joe and the trick of the hidden peanuts. Joe saw it that Alonzo was supplied with plenty of peanuts.

The supporting cast of Joe's picture includes: Patricia Ellis, Gordon Westcott, Dorothy Burgess, Donald Dillaway and a score of famous circus performers.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilenick, 301 Louisville avenue, announced yesterday the birth of a son December 5 at St. Francis sanitarium. The baby has been named Raymond Morris Wilenick.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cay announced yesterday the birth of a daughter on December 11. The baby was named Patricia Ann Cay.

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Tables at which the banquet was served were decorated by Mrs. D. I. Hirsch and Mrs. Abe Arent. Preceding the banquet, a fellowship hour was observed.

A large attendance was present at the convention, including visitors from Shreveport and Alexandria. The speakers, who gave addresses of particular interest to the medical professions, were Dr. Seale Harris, of Birmingham, Ala., Dr. Brooks C. Garrett, of Shreveport, and Dr. Ralph Talbot, of Monroe.

HIGH SCHOOL IS RAZED BY BLAZE

Only Sections Of Brick
Wall Of 50-Room
Building Remain

FITCHBURG, Mass., Dec. 15.—(AP)—Fire today destroyed the Fitchburg senior high school with a loss estimated by Fire Chief Michael J. Shea at \$750,000.

Only sections of brick walls remained of the 50-room building which furnished class rooms for 1,700 students.

The work of the flames was so complete that Chief Shea said the cause of the fire probably never would be known.

Fitchburg's entire fire fighting force was called out by a general alarm and Leominster sent an engine and eight men to assist, but handicapped by zero temperature and low water pressure, the battle to save the building was unavailing. The school was not insured, James M. McNamara, school superintendent, said, because of high rates.

Only the fact that roofs were covered with snow saved homes in the vicinity. Fanned by a brisk north-west wind, sparks, burning embers and fragments of burning paper were carried a distance of a mile from the burning school.

Los Angeles Flood Danger Thought Past

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Flood danger in the foothills bordering Los Angeles was believed past today as the storm that drenched virtually all of southern California with near-record rainfall moved eastward.

Cloudbursts over the La Crescenta-Montrose area yesterday sent torrents of water rushing down fire-denuded hillsides and caused its temporary evacuation by 300 residents. The water subsided without causing severe damage.

Last January 1 more than 30 lives were lost in the La Crescenta-Montrose area when cloudbursts sent a wall of water rushing through the two communities.

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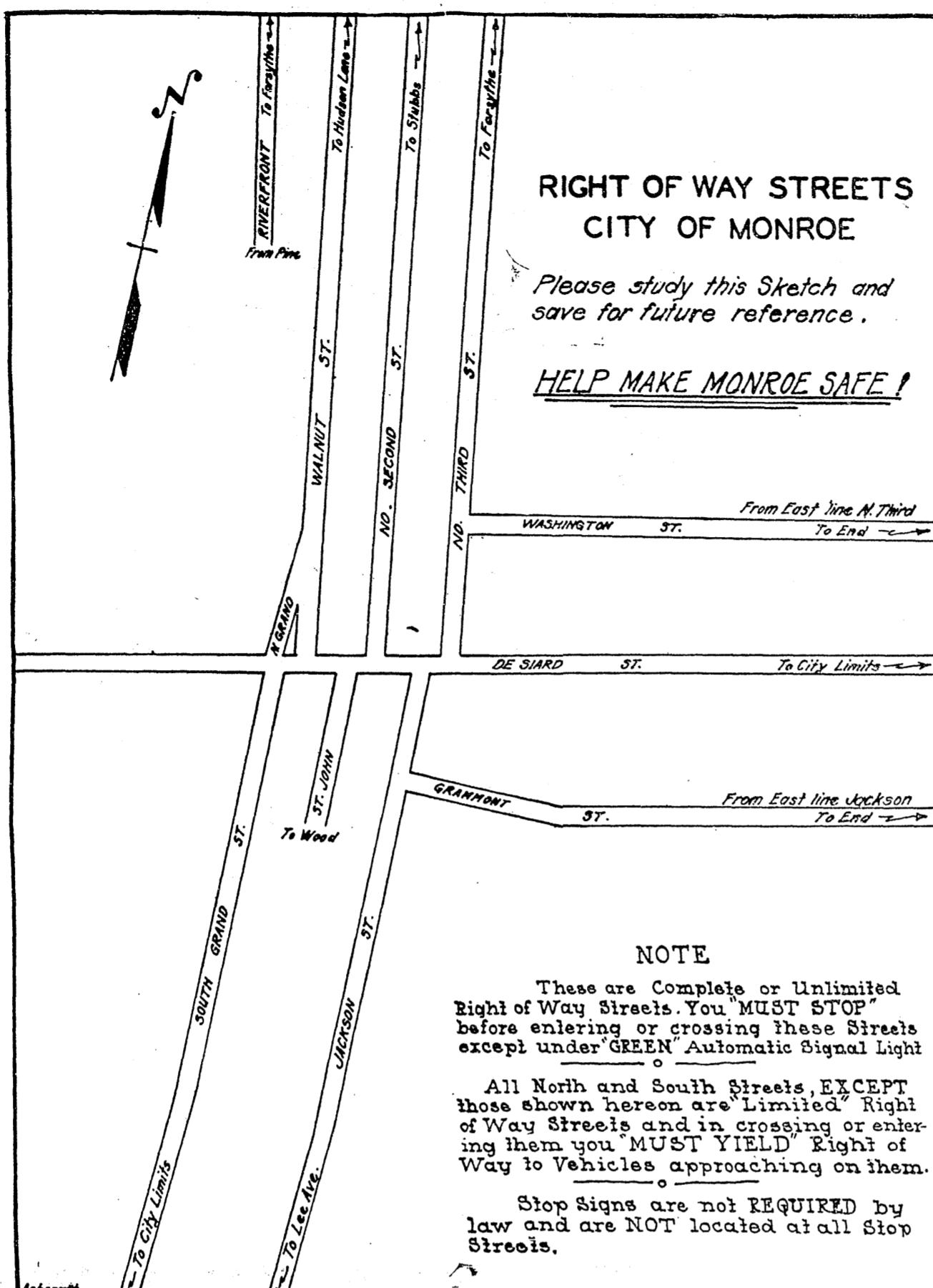
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City Officials Join In Plea For Safety On Streets



Campaign Under Way To Educate People In Better Observance Of Traffic Laws

Mayor And Municipal
Judge Urge Public Co-
operation In Program

City officials of Monroe, taking a lead in the campaign greater safety on the public streets, have issued an appeal to the public for cooperation in observance of the traffic laws. Two outstanding efforts in this direction have been made by Mayor Arnold Bernstein and Judge W. M. Harper, judge of the municipal court.

Mayor Bernstein has asked the various civic service club members to lend their aid through a study of the traffic regulations of the city of Monroe, and has had printed copies of the traffic regulations of the city of Monroe, and has had printed copies of the city ordinances which are being sent to all such organizations in the city with a request that the members make it their business to become acquainted with the regulations and by personal endeavor lead the way to better observance of the laws on the part of motorists and the public generally.

In a foreword, printed in the official copies of the traffic regulations, Mayor Bernstein says: If you would like for the law to be impartially enforced, start by being a good citizen yourself, and obey the law. If you think the law bad, do your part to have it changed by orderly process.

"It is not more laws that we need in controlling traffic," the mayor said, in issuing the booklets, "but observance of the laws we have."

Judge Harper in his appeal for cooperation, has issued a map of the right-of-way streets of Monroe, and has urged that motorists study the thoroughfares and the restrictions to travel which are imposed by city ordinances. He has also sent out a circular on the subject, which is entitled: "Safety, Hospital or Grave-Which?" The circular reads as follows:

"Recent very serious traffic accidents in the city of Monroe have

forcibly brought home to the motoring public the necessity of compliance with the well-ordered safety rules contained in our traffic ordinance.

Some have been killed outright; others have been painfully injured; some maimed for life. Will you be next?

"Do you operate your motor vehicle on the offensive? Are you a Mr. Hyde when driving your car and a Dr. Jekyll when out of it? Do you rely solely on right-of-way and go rushing through street intersections without regard to existing conditions? If so, you are headed headlong for either the hospital or the graveyard—both!"

"What good will the fact that you had right-of-way do when you or your children have been killed or maimed for life as the result of some fool's driving?

"If you want to drive with a maximum of safety to yourself and loved ones, here are a few simple rules that will, if adhered to, safeguard life, limb and property:

"1. Always drive on the defensive, granting that the other fellow is one that must be guarded against. Give way rather than take way—the latter leads only to sorrow.

"2. Look both directions on side streets before crossing them, regardless of right-of-way or green lights, remembering that you are just as dead when killed on a right-of-way street as on a street of inferior class.

"3. Learn the right-of-way streets and respect them by coming to a full stop before crossing or entering them. Until you do learn them, here is a simple rule to bear in mind: 'All streets running east and west are inferior to streets running north and south, except DeSiard, Grammont and Washington east of North Third.' A simple change of gears does not comply with the law requiring you to stop before entering right-of-way streets. Stop signs are not required by law and are not placed at all right-of-way intersections. It is up to the motorist to learn the stop streets. Re-

member this: Nine out of every ten traffic accidents in the city happen at street intersections.

"4. Remember that Monroe's streets are not wide enough for fast speed.

The legal limit is 25 miles for passenger cars and 15 miles for trucks and busses. This speed will get us there safely and surely. What if you had to use a horse? Slow down when passing the schools. Give the children a chance to live!

"5. Overparking does produce a hazard as little as we would think so. When the city is filled with 'all-day' parkers, motorists are tempted to violate the law against double-parking and parking too close to street corners, thereby creating serious hazards. It motorists would not abuse the parking limits simply because 'the other fellow does so,' there would be ample room in front of every place of business for customers to park to transact their business. Motorists who intend leaving their machines over the legal limit should park them outside the congested business area. Display parking lights at night; the other fellow might be blinded and ruin your car, not to mention what might happen to him.

"6. Cause your brakes and lights to be inspected frequently.

"7. When drinking, let a sober person drive for you, or walk. Walking drunk is only \$7.50; driving drunk is \$100.00 and a jail sentence.

"It is honorable to intentionally violate a traffic rule that endangers the safety of our fellow-man? There is not a single rule in the traffic ordinance that was not put there to avoid some anticipated hazard."

"Safety in the operation of our motor vehicles depends more upon compliance with the rules by the public than it does upon enforcement by the officers, because the officers can do

nothing without the cooperation of the public.

"Why should it be necessary to force people to obey traffic rules that are designed for their own safety?

"Safety, hospital or grave—which?"

It is up to you!

(Signed)—"W. M. HARPER,
Judge, City Court of
the City of Monroe."

**Birth Of Child Is
Awaited By Actress**

SANTA MONICA, Calif., Dec. 15.—(AP)—Clara Bow entered a hospital to await the birth of a child.

The actress was calm and smiling, but Rex Bell, her actor-husband, wore a worried, nervous look.

Among the gifts already received

for the expected infant, Bell selected one and took it to the hospital with

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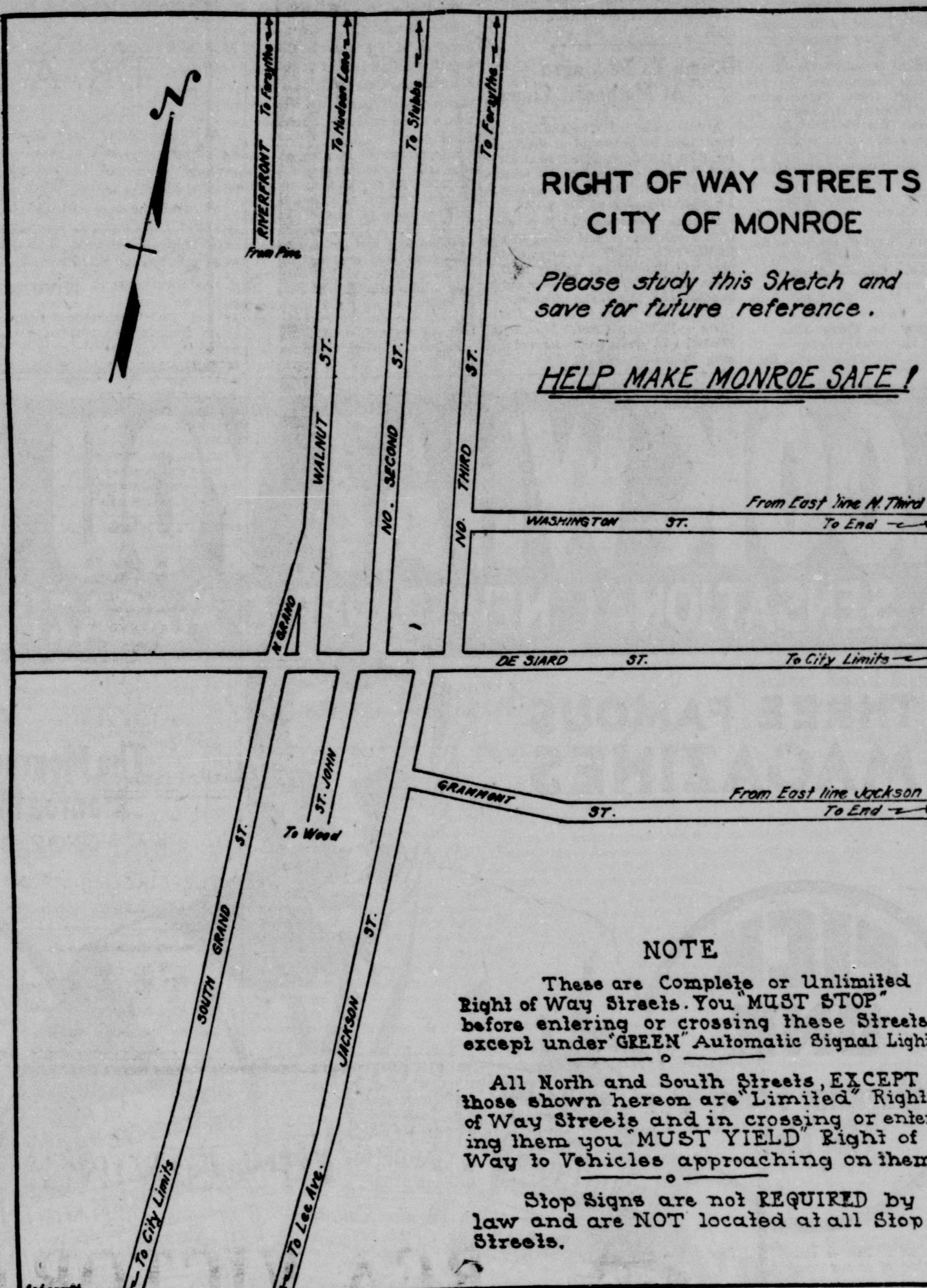
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CLARK PROPOSES
MUNITIONS PLANSenator Drafts Way To
Take All Profits
Out Of WarWASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—(P)—A
Democratic member of the senate
munitions committee announced to-
day he was drafting a plan to take
all the profits out of war, despite
the fact that President Roosevelt has
named a committee to frame such
legislation.Senator Clark, Democrat, Missouri,
said his program included taking
charge of all the nation's resources
in other words literally drafting in-
dustry as well as humans. He said
he was studying also a plan for the
nationalization of military inventions.The group designated by the presi-
dent to write an anti-war-profit meas-
ure is headed by Bernard Baruch, New
York financier. Some of the Repub-
lican members of the senate com-
mittee once said they regarded Mr.
Roosevelt's move as an effort to bring
the munitions investigation to an
early end."A man drafted into the military
service doesn't have a chance to argue
with the government over hours or
pay. Why should industry?" Clark
said today.Clark's proposal was added to half
a dozen others which have been born
or revived as a result of the senate
committee's disclosures and the presi-
dent's action.Chairman Nye of the investigating
group already has said he would re-
introduce his bill to impose a 98 per
cent tax on all incomes above \$10,000
after the declaration of war. The
North Dakotan also has demanded the
nationalization of the munitions in-
dustry without waiting for another
conflict.Senator Vandenberg, Republican,
Michigan, another member of the
committee, is expected to reintroduce
the recommendations of the old war
policy commission, of which he was a
member, to levy a 95 per cent war-
time tax on all profits in excess of
the average for the last three pre-
war years.For many years the war depart-
ment has had a secret plan for mob-
ilizing industry in time of war. The
munitions committee will launch a
public investigation of this program
next week in an effort to show it
would not prevent excessive profits.Believe Disappearance
Of Money Is AccidentNEW YORK, Dec. 15.—(P)—Convinced
that the strange disappearance of
\$590,000 in United States treasury
notes from a teller's cage of the
United States Trust company was an
accident and not a theft, police today
continued their search.They held one hopeful clue to the
mystery. Several outgoing packets of
securities were dispatched at the time,
Thursday, that two messengers deliv-
ered the notes from the First Boston
corporation. The police today will
trace those deliveries in the hope the
notes were placed in the wrong en-
velopes by accident.Suspicion of theft was definitely
dismissed by the police who pointed
out the thief would have considerable
difficulty disposing of the notes, five
of which were of \$100,000 denomina-
tion.Money Sought To Save
Profitable Fur IndustryWASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—(P)—Say-
ing that the fur and game industry
produces approximately \$2,000,000,000
annually, the bureau of biological sur-
vey has advocated the spending of
more money for protection and prop-
agation purposes.Although such a large amount of
income is produced, only two per cent
of it goes for conservation the bureau
claims. It advises a program of game
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Police Jury President Honored For Service On Behalf Of Aviation

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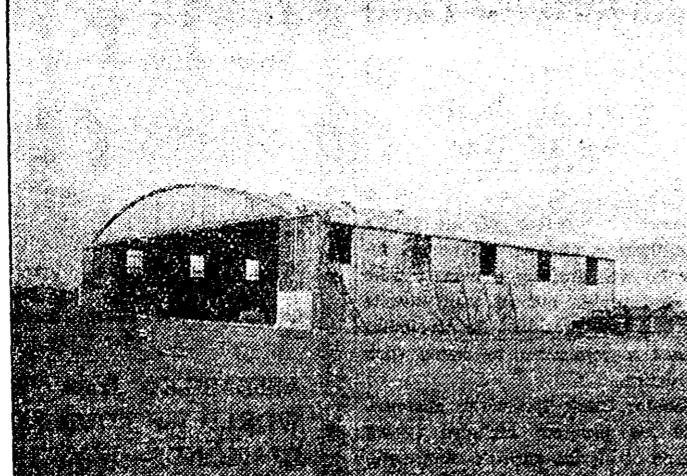
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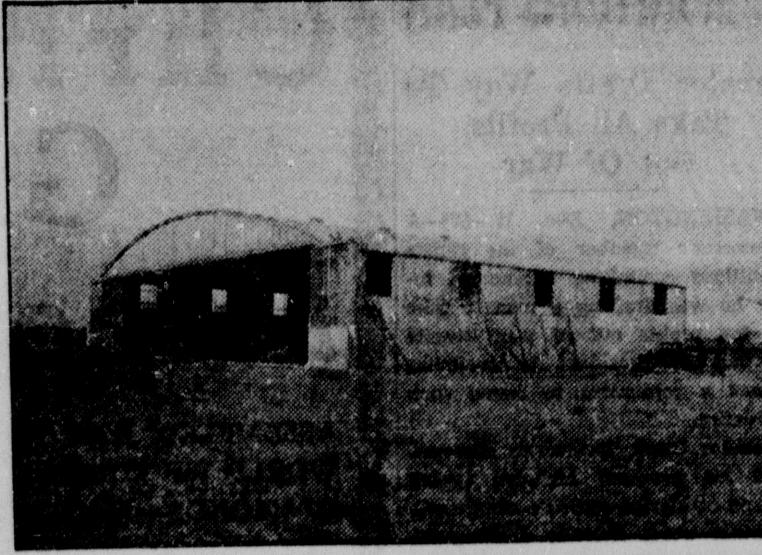
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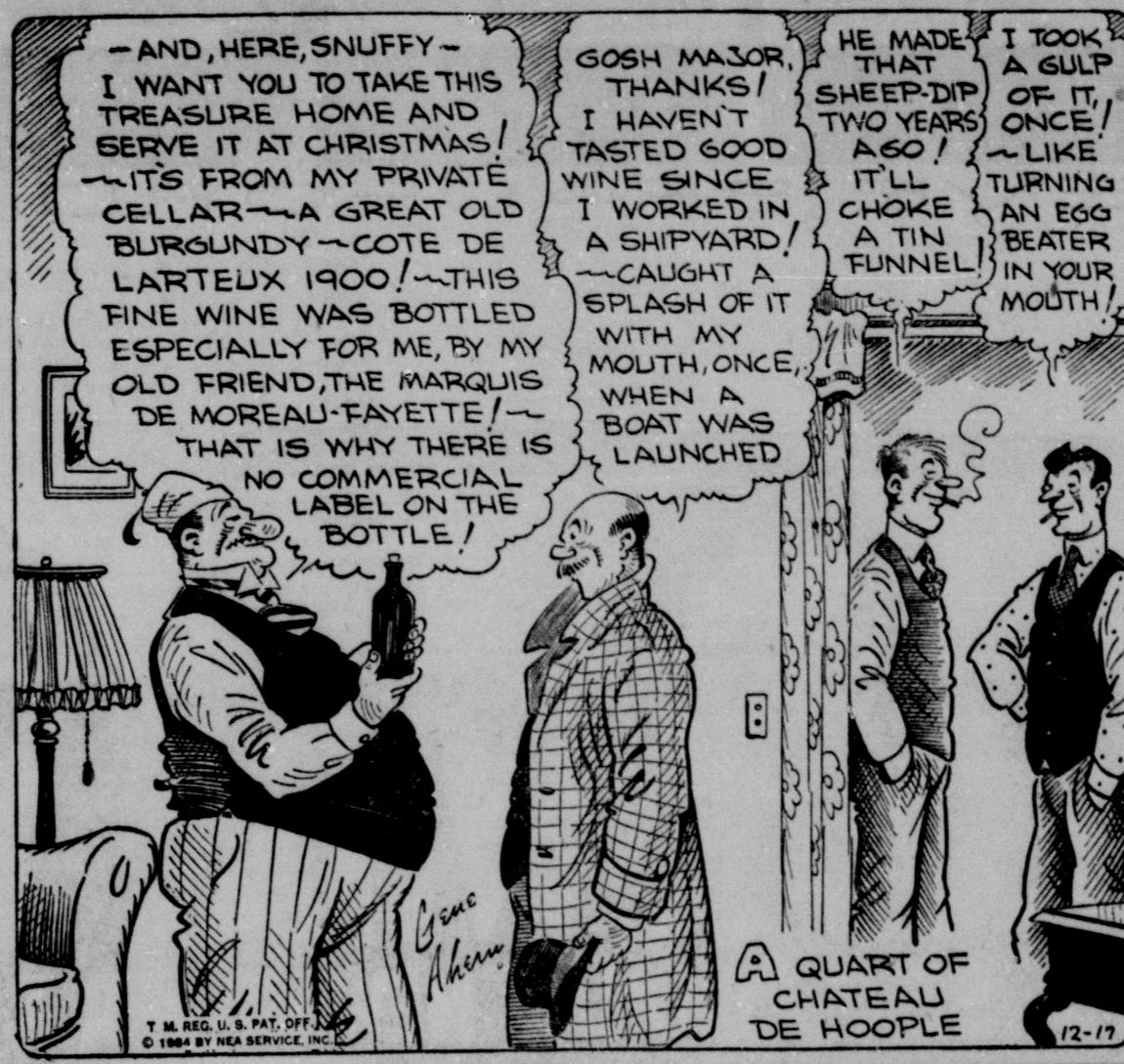
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SEYMOUR WEISS PROVIDES BOND

Long's Political Aide Posts \$10,000 Bail In Tax Charge

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—(P)—Seymour Weiss, political right-hand man of Senator Huey P. Long, who was indicted by the district federal grand jury here yesterday on seven counts of attempting to evade and defeat the payment of income taxes, appeared before U. S. Commissioner Reginald H. Carter today and posted bond of \$10,000.

Mr. Weiss, secretary and treasurer of the Long campaign organization in the state and a prominent hotel man of New Orleans, was accompanied to the commissioner's office by former Congressman Frank R. Reid of Illinois, who asserted that he appeared as Mr. Weiss' counsel.

The bond was signed by Mrs. James D. Kenny, wife of the manager of the Monteleone hotel.

Mr. Weiss refused to comment upon his indictment, which charges him with underpayment of approximately \$26,000 in income taxes during the five-year period from 1929 to 1933 inclusive, counsel, however, issued the following statement:

"I will represent Mr. Weiss because he has been more or less a protege of mine. When I came here as chairman of the flood control committee he was of valuable assistance to me. Since 1927 I have been actively associated with him. He has always been on the job helping the people of Louisiana from the danger of floods.

"Because of his efforts in this direction he was elected treasurer of the National Rivers and Harbors congress of which I am president. I am glad to be of assistance to him at this time. I think the government is misinformed as to certain facts in the case. Apparently certain persons supplied erroneous information to the government. It is a blind indictment."

A 25 grain gold nugget was given by F. F. Gillit, miner, for his subscription to a Baker, Oregon, newspaper.

members each and the other wards are represented by one member each.

Members of the school board, as well as other parish officials, are sworn in by the clerk of court.

The next regular meeting of the school board, which meets quarterly, will be held January 4.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis and guests, Captain and Mrs. F. E. Collins to Lafayette, La., returned home Monday evening after an extended visit with relatives and friends in Taft, Calif.

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Senator Harry W. Gilbert spent several days during the past week in Baton Rouge on business.

Mrs. A. Baer and sons, Eddie and Joe, accompanied Mrs. Joe Dente of Winniboro to Monroe Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Covington of Ferriday, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Risher.

Mrs. Joe Farley and daughters, accompanied by Mrs. John Farley and sons, spent Saturday afternoon in Clayton with Mrs. U. C. Farley.

Mrs. S. Kennerly, Mrs. John S. Barr and Miss Ruth Kennerly, Lorraine Glasgow and Rebecca Scott spent Wednesday in Monroe shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Enslinger and children, accompanied by John S. Barr, were visitors in Oak Ridge Sunday afternoon.

E. A. Pennebaker spent several

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Osborn returned home Wednesday from Greenwood, Miss., after an extended visit with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Osborn.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. White and daughter, accompanied by Mrs. A. Baer, were shoppers in Monroe Tuesday.

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bringing together a merry company of guests complimentary to a young man and his betrothed. . . . Of course you saw the Little Theater play last Tuesday and clapped loud and long for the wonderful performances of Ann Platt and Suzanne Sperry and Louise Moore. . . . to say nothing of the gentlemen of the cast. . . . wasn't Ann simply gorgeous in that gold cloth frock and didn't you just love Suzanne in that stately blue velvet hostess gown? . . . If you failed to see the play you can get a glimpse of Suzanne in the pictures today wearing the self same gown. . . . Louise Moore's role of maid did not permit the "show off" gowns, sorry to say. . . .

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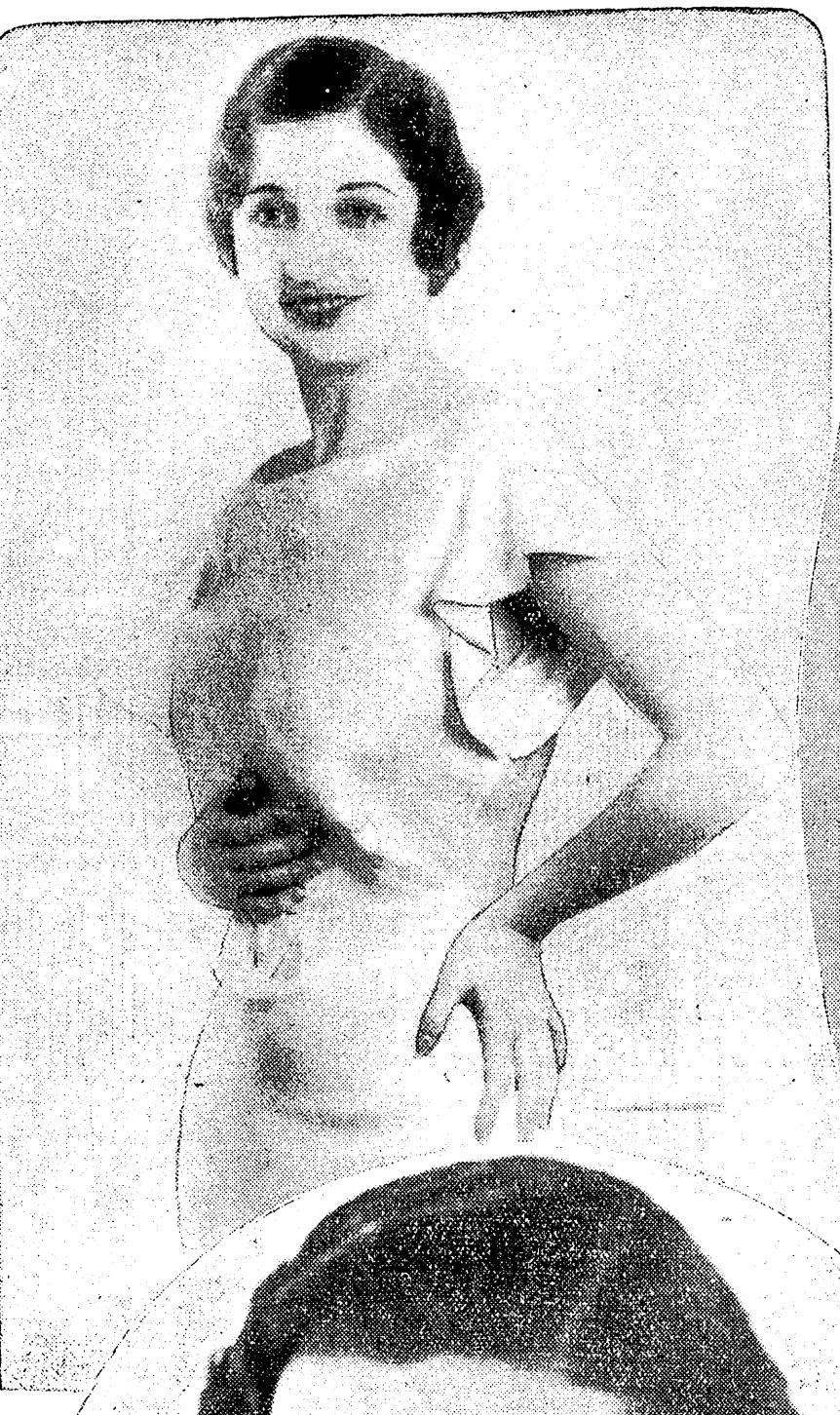
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Most of us associate holly Christmas trees, evergreen garlands, wreaths and lighted candles with the childish memories of early celebrations, just as our parents did before us. Back of them, their parents and their grandparents, had much the same reactions. Just where in the line of descent the old, original legends became blurred and transposed, no one can exactly determine, but we can trace the origin of the reverence for

mistletoe, at least, back to the days of the Druids in Great Britain, or to the beautiful legend of Baldur the Beautiful, in the Scandinavian countries.

Hanging between heaven and earth, found fastened to the sacred oak, this plant was held to have special virtues. For centuries afterward, in England, mistletoe was cut down with special rites on December 21, being carefully caught before it touched the ground. Fastened above the door or hung within the dwelling, it was held as certain to ward off evil for the coming year.

Linked with mistletoe in the celebrations of the Saturnalia, which feasted the return of the sun after the winter solstice, holly was frowned upon by the early churches, as were even the evergreen boughs. But that did not prevent the people from continuing to use these and the "heaven-born" plant in their homes.

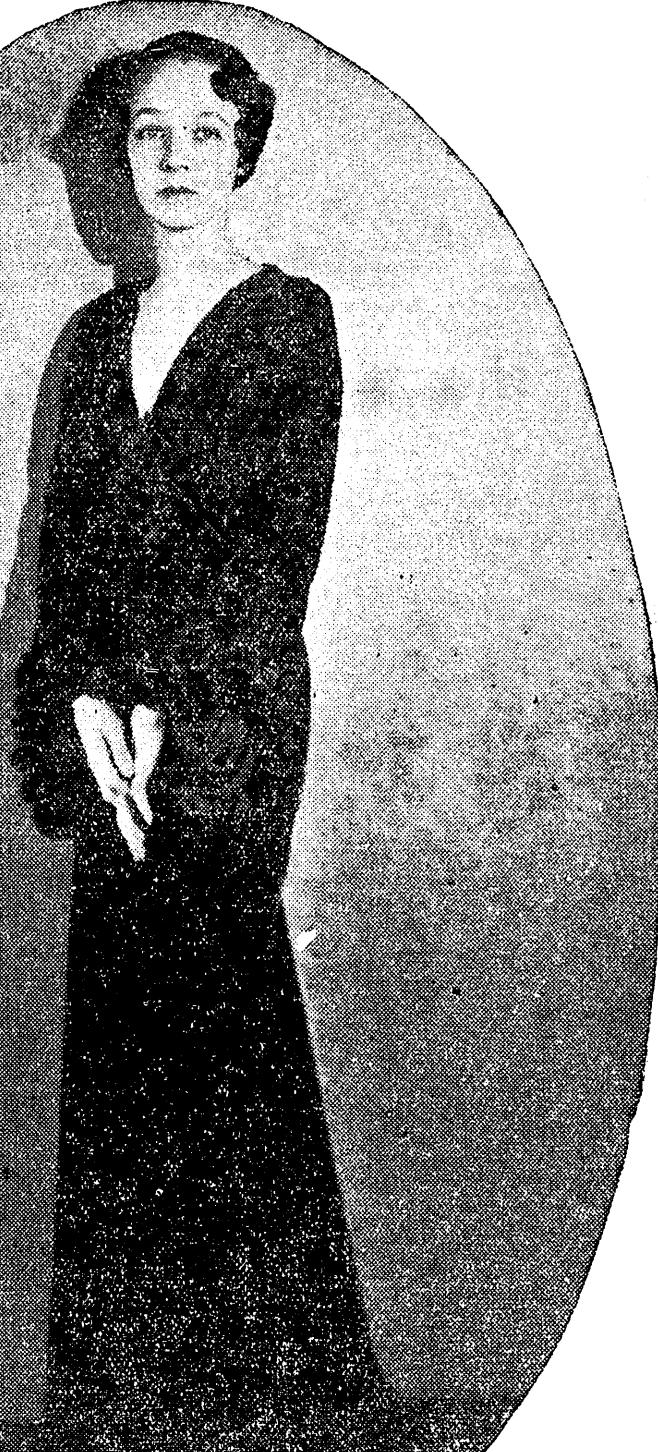
From community feasts and rites, the celebrations came to be more and

more centered in the homes of the people. As Christianity grew and the churches became more and more insistent upon the recognition of the holy significance of December 25, such services took their definite place in the lives of the people. The home festival of gaiety and rejoicing, however, remained intact—and with it the use of the old, traditional decorations.

Changing times bring us changing manners and customs, of course, but few discard the past entirely. Climate plays its part. Here in Louisiana we have taken advantage of the open weather and moved our Christmas tree out of doors so that we may share them and the joyous spirit they represent, with all who pass.

There are cities and towns that take special pride in lighting living trees. Monroe in the past has been completely encircled with color lights during the holiday season—people have driven many miles to enjoy the sight of the street after street giving cherry greetings to all the world.

Do not, we beg of you, let this beautiful custom die for lack of enthusiasm. There is nothing that so cheers the heart and creates that inward glow, as the sight of a city decorated for the Yuletide. Remember, the festive emblem of holiday cheer is the lighted tree in the yard.



Ante Bellum Home Is Scene Of Fashionable Wedding When Miss Brown Weds Mr. Thomas

Myriad cathedral tapers in tall colonial silver candlesticks pricked the dimness of the handsome drawing room of Gossypia, ante bellum home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dennis Brown of Lake Providence when their beautiful daughter, Miss Rebecca Brown was united in marriage to Mr. Lovic Pierce Thomas, Jr., Wednesday morning, December the twelfth in the presence of a fashionable concourse of friends and relatives.

Miss Ellen Brown, the maid of honor, wore a smart black crepe model with fabric flowers of contrasting colors at the throat. A sash edged with coral fringe and a small close fitting hat with short veil of black was worn. Her bouquet was of Talisman roses tied with dull green satin and gold ribbon.

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Mr. Thomas had as his best man, Mr. Owen Brown, a brother of the bride. The Rev. Father S. J. Pluz of St. Patrick's Catholic church officiated. During the reception, fruit frappe and individual cakes were served. Miss Narcisse Brown presided over the punch table covered with exquisite lace.

The honeymoon will be spent in Washington, D. C., New York City and in North Carolina with the groom's parents. Mrs. Thomas wore a green sash with a white chrysanthemum and English ivy. A massive silver cross was suspended overhead. The wedding party stood under a bamboo entwined arch surrounded with a mammoth silver bell.

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The interest of friends throughout this section of the south is centered in this marriage, due to the prominence of the bride's family and the popularity of the young couple.

Miss Rosabelle Yout and Mr. and Mrs. L. Yout of Little Rock are holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Feinstein.

The Interest Of Society Is Centered In Engagement Of Miss Sperry And Mr. Kellogg

Of outstanding importance and of great ability is highly valued. She is a member of a distinguished pioneer family of this parish. Her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Salie Richard Ruffin, has long been identified with the cultural and civic life of the community. Miss Sperry received her early education in the public schools of Monroe and following graduation attended Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri. Later she was graduated from Arlington Hall, Washington, D. C. It is a source of great satisfaction to members of society generally that Miss Sperry's marriage to Mr. Kellogg will take her elsewhere to live.

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Most of us associate holly Christmas trees, evergreen garlands, wreaths and lighted candles with the childish memories of early celebrations, just as our parents did before us. Back of them, their parents and their grandparents, had much the same reactions. Just where in the line of descent the old, original legends became blurred and transposed, no one can exactly determine, but we can trace the origin of the reverence for

mistletoe, at least, back to the days of the Druids in Great Britain, or to the beautiful legend of Baldur the Beautiful, in the Scandinavian countries.

Hanging between heaven and earth, plant fastened to the sacred oak, this plant was held to have special virtues. For centuries afterward, in England, mistletoe was cut down with special rites on December 21, being carefully caught before it touched the ground. Fastened above the door or hung within the dwelling, it was held as certain to ward off evil for the coming year.

Linked with mistletoe in the celebrations of the Saturnalia, which feted the return of the sun after the winter solstice, holly was frowned upon by the early churches, as were even the evergreen boughs. But that did not prevent the people from continuing to use these and the "heaven-born" plant in their homes.

From community feasts and rites, the celebrations came to be more and

more centered in the homes of the people. As Christianity grew and the churches became more and more insistent upon the recognition of the holy significance of December 25, such services took their definite place in the lives of the people. The home festival of gaiety and rejoicing, however, remained intact—and with it the use of the old, traditional decorations.

Changing times bring us changing manners and customs, of course, but we must discard the past entirely. Climate plays its part. Here in Louisiana we have taken advantage of the open weather and moved our Christmas trees out of doors so that we may share them and the joyous spirit they represent, with all who pass.

There are cities and towns that take special pride in lighting living trees, Monroe in the past has been completely encircled with color lights during the holiday season—people have driven many miles to enjoy the sight of the street after street giving cherry greetings to all the world.

Do not, we beg of you, let this beautiful custom die for lack of enthusiasm. There is nothing so cheering the heart and creates that inward glow, as the sight of a city decorated for the Yuletide. Remember, the festive emblem of holiday cheer is the lighted tree in the yard.



Ante Bellum Home Is Scene Of Fashionable Wedding When Miss Brown Weds Mr. Thomas

Myriad cathedral tapers in tall colonized silver candlesticks pricked the dimness of the handsome drawing room of Gossypia, ante bellum home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dennis Brown of Lake Providence when their beautiful daughter, Miss Rebecca Brown was united in marriage to Mr. Lovie Pierce Thomas, Jr., Wednesday morning, December the fifth in the presence of a fashionable concourse of friends and relatives.

The double drawing rooms, effusively, were filled with warm firelight glow from logs piled high in the old fashioned fire places with their tall marble mantels. Sheaves of palmettos and clusters of white chrysanthemums formed the background against which the antique furnishings of this handsome home were beautifully silhouetted. The vows were plighted before an improvised altar, fashioned of white chrysanthemums and English ivy. A massive silver cross was suspended overhead. The wedding party stood under a bamboo entwined arch surmounted with a mammoth silver bell.

The pre-nuptial concert was rendered by Mrs. Ashley W. Warlick, pianist, and Miss Bert Estelle Herzog, violinist, while the guests were assembling.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a distinctive model of brown velvet fashioned along straight, narrow lines. Gold buttons outlined the shoulders and extended to the wrist length sleeves with wide flares.

The interest of friends throughout this section of the south is centered in this marriage, due to the prominence of the bride's family and the popularity of the young couple.

Miss Rosabelle Yout and Mr. and Mrs. L. Yout of Little Rock are holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Feinstein.

The Interest Of Society Is Centered In Engagement Of Miss Sperry And Mr. Kellogg

Of outstanding importance and of sincere and affectionate interest to society in this section of the state is the following announcement:

Mrs. Gladys Broadway Sperry announces the engagement of her daughter Suzanne to Mr. Walter Wood Kellogg.

The wedding will take place early in February.

Miss Sperry is a spirited, beautiful girl, a great belle and with much character and individuality. She occupies her own special niche in Monroe society and in Little Theater circles where her distinctive dra-

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Stags—Eugene Paxton, Allen Andrew, Howard Howell, Gene Loftin and Bill Stevenson of Bastrop, Rison Wood, Earl Stevenson, Frankie Bono, Cecil M. Hill, Eddie Fitzpatrick, Jr., Oswald F. Biggar, Jimmie Wyatt, John Freichen and Wae Stanton of Rayville, D. Eller, Jack Selig, Joe Marx, W. J. Tremaine, Jr., Paul Fudickar, P. A. Poag, Clyde Payne, John Devereaux, Warren Kelly, Billy DeMoss, Thomas Ruyne of Rayville, Harpo Holliday, Bastrop, Rush Poulan, P. W. Turpin, Bastrop, Earle Hare Thomas, Witt, J. J. Fitch, Grey Barham, Steve Gibson and E. C. Files, Oak Ridge, Wild Ross, John M. Smith, Edward Lutz, Billy Trimble, H. C. Spillar, J. N. Davis, Frank L. Mullins, Jack May, H. H. Davis, H. Marhien, Ed. Hayward, Don Brittmose, Henry Padgett, C. P. Poulan, Cob Brielen, A. L. Smith, Harvey Gregg, Warren Kelly, Rayville, Emmett Hear-

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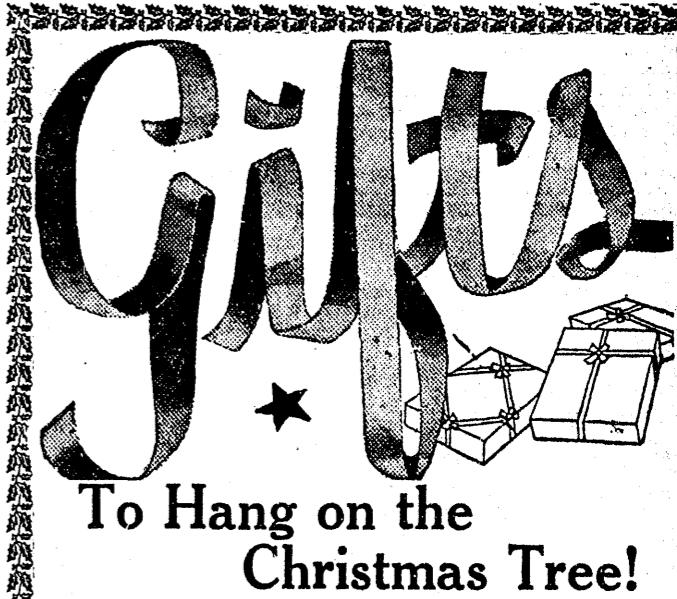
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ing the year 1741 and presented in Dublin, Ireland, with Handel conducting in 1742. This glorious oratorio is divided into the following groups: Overture. Recitative—"Comfort Ye My People," tenor. Air—"Every Valley Shall Be Exalted," tenor. Chorus—"And the Glory of the Lord." Recitative—"Thus Saith the Lord of Hosts," bass. Air—"But Who May Abide," Bass. Recitative—"Behold, a Virgin Shall Conceive," alto. Air and chorus—"O Thou That Tell'est," alto.

Recitative—"For Behold, Darkness Shall Cover the Earth," bass. Air—"The People That Walked in Darkness," bass. Pastoral symphony. Recitative—"There Were Shepherds," soprano. Recitative—"And the Angel Said Unto Them," soprano.

Members of the Choral club appearing in The Messiah are: Sopranos and altos—Miss Kathryn Adams, Mrs. J. P. Luecke, Mrs. G. C. Albritton, Miss Ann Marshall, Mrs. R. B. Archibald, Miss Pearl Mason. Mrs. H. R. Arlig, Miss Carrimena McIntosh, Miss Lillian Aulds, Miss Lucille Miller, Miss Lillian Baker, Mrs. Geo. B. Moffett, Miss Gene Baunds, Miss Gladys Monroe, Miss Margaret Booth, Mrs. C. L. Moore, Jr., Miss Mildred Beard, Mrs. E. H. Murrell, Miss Nellie Beard, Miss Clifffie Olmstead, Mrs. F. E. Brueck, Mrs. W. K. Olmstead, Mrs. Mildred Brumfield, Mrs. Bess Crider Penick, Miss Marie Campbell, Miss Beatrice Rhymes, Mrs. C. C. Carroll, Miss Sarah Robnett, Mrs. W. J. Cornett, Miss Myrtle Rodgers, Miss Josephine Combs, Miss Clyde Sanders, Miss Margaret Cudd, Mrs. John Sholars, Miss Charlotte Davis, Mrs. Ben Stern, Mrs. A. R. Doughty, Miss Bella Salyers, Miss Juanita Ferriington, Miss Marie Taylor, Miss Maude Gallman, Mrs. Fred Thatcher, Miss Avonia Gerald, Miss Hulda Tillman, Mrs. D. P. Gerald, Miss Mildred Trichell, Miss Gloria Gray, Miss Rosa Veal, Miss Virginia Gray, Mrs. Wayne Wamsley, Miss Joy Griffing, Miss Mary Helen Weaver, Mrs. E. O. Hinton, Mrs. S. L. Webb, Mrs. Louis Hulium, Mrs. Henry Whiffield, Mrs. Mary Kent, Miss Marie Winkler, Miss Helen Key, Miss Kathryn Wolfe, Miss Mellee Landers, Miss Louise Wood, Mrs. Frances Miller Leavell, Miss Jeanette Zeigler and Miss Nettie Lewis.

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Vesper services will be held at the First Presbyterian church at five p.m. in place of 7:30.

The Council of Social Agencies will keep open house at the wholesale toy shop from 2 to 4:30 p.m. Only adults will be admitted.

All members and boards connected with the council are urged to be present sometime during the afternoon.

Tuesday

Meeting of the Twin Cities' Choral club at Northeast Center auditorium, 7 p.m.

Joint meeting of the Student Musicians and Young Men's Choral club at Episcopal parish house, 8 p.m. Mrs. George Moffett and Miss Helena Hayward, hostesses.

The Woman's council of the First Christian church will meet at the church. Circle No. 2 will be in charge of the program, 3 p.m.

First Baptist church circle meetings will be held as follows:

1—Mrs. G. W. McDuffie, 509 K street.

2 and 3—Mrs. J. C. Anders, 611 Stubbs.

4—Mrs. Herman Mickel, 809 North Fourth street.

5—Mrs. Chappel Rogers, 509 Pine street.

6—Mrs. A. Rex, 318 North Fifth street.

7—Mrs. W. H. Banister, 514 Oak street.

8—Mrs. J. E. Hodges, 312 Catalpa street.

9—Mrs. W. C. Lanier, 311 Louise Anne street.

10—Mrs. Mattie Myatt, 803 St. John street.

11—Mrs. J. W. Rohr, 2618 South Grand street.

12—Mrs. Clyde Derrick, 408 Carlton street.

13—Mrs. E. L. Magnon, 404 Plum street.

14—Mrs. L. B. Pettit, 904 South Second street.

15—Mrs. J. O. Walsh, Crescent Bend.

16—Mrs. J. B. Edwards, DeSiard road.

Meeting of W. B. A. at the K. of P. hall. Initiation. 7 p.m.

Mrs. W. H. McGee assisted by circle three of Presbyterian Auxiliary will conduct the program meeting. Circle four, hostesses. 3 p.m.

Wednesday

Social meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America with Mrs. Stanley Hodges, 8 p.m.

Meeting of the Welcome Branch of the Twentieth Century Club, 3 p.m.

Meeting of the Claiborne P.T.A. safety program, 2:40 p.m.

Meeting of the Study club with Henry Montgomery, 3:30 p.m.

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Tuesday—December 25

Open house at Phi Kappa fraternity house, 4 p.m.

Open house for members of Lakeside Golf and Country club.

Wednesday, December 26

Delta Sigma fraternity men will be hosts at their annual Christmas ball at Plantation club, 10 p.m.

Friday—December 28

Members of Phi Kappa fraternity, Eta chapter, will entertain with annual holiday ball at the Frances hotel, 10 p.m.-2:30 a.m.

Monday—December 31

New Year's Eve ball at the Frances hotel sponsored by Billy Haynes, Buster Baur, Durwood Griffin and Jake Chase.

New Year's Eve ball at Lakeside Country club, 10 p.m.

Gilbert

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kelly spent Sunday in Choudrant where they attended a birthday dinner of Robert O'Neal, a brother-in-law of Mr. Kelly. Mr. O'Neal celebrated his eightieth birthday and also enjoyed a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kiper and sons, R. Leslie and Ralph, were weekend visitors in Little Rock.

Mrs. W. H. Bates spent the weekend in Vicksburg, Miss., as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Jarvis.

Mrs. Felicia Stirling, who is a member of the Newellton high school faculty, came home early this week for the purpose of taking treatment for the prevention of rabies. Mrs. Stirling, as well as a number of Newellton citizens who had been associated with Albert Morris, who died in a Natchez hospital after being bitten by a rabid dog Sunday night, was advised by a physician to take the treatment. Mrs. John Foxworth of Houston, Texas, a sister of Mrs. Stirling, arrived Monday to substitute in her sister's place in the Newellton school while she is at home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Scott and son, Louis, spent the weekend in Alexandria with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Harris, accompanied by Mrs. W. J. Disch, spent Friday in Monroe shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tucker of Monroe were visitors here during the past weekend.

C. B. Shearouse was a business visitor in Monroe Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Womble, Jr., and Mrs. Fred Gilbert were visitors in Wisner Monday.

Eros

The women of Eros community met here with Mary Vernon, Jackson parish home demonstration agent, organized a home demonstration club and elected officers for the coming year.

The officers elected were president, Mrs. J. M. Barr; secretary and treasurer.

Open Sunday 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Rare Collection Of Genuine Spode Exhibited At Recent Meeting Of Lambda Kappa

A rare privilege was afforded a few lovers of old china when a set of genuine Spode, prized possession of Mrs. George Richard Cotton of Wisconsin, was exhibited at the December meeting of the Lambda Kappa club in the home of Mrs. J. C. Calhoun of Rayville.

This collection of genuine Spode of a century ago was the property of the Bolton family of Bolton, Miss. According to tradition, Mr. Bolton, the head of the family, was murdered as he sat in his chair one night by an open window. This death had such a shocking effect upon the members of the family that they abandoned the home almost immediately after the funeral leaving the dishes upon the table and articles of clothing lying about the bedrooms.

They took up their residence in New York leaving the estate in the hands of the caretakers. Through lack of care the old home gradually crumbled and decayed. The native negroes

inhabited the residence in the early 1900s.

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Manifesting their deep appreciation for the two years of splendid achievement on the part of Mrs. Sidney A. Moss as president of the Missouri Pacific Women's club, members presented her with a handsome silver coffee service at their regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon.

Realizing that great trees from little acorns grow, Mrs. Moss built up a splendid organization from a few uninterested members to one that represents every line of industry in the Missouri Pacific field. This club today is made up of women whose heart is in the splendid work being done and in the social side of life enjoyed at their comfortable club house. Mrs. Moss has been a constant inspiration to members who have strived to reach the goal of endeavor established by their leader.

In retiring as president, Mrs. Moss feels that she has accomplished something really worth while in bringing women from the various departments together in bonds of friendship and loyalty to the organization which they represent.

During the past two years the club house has been transformed into a comfortable recreation center where the members enjoy entertainments of a social nature. A perfectly equipped kitchen is a great source of pride. The December meeting was rather festive as the Christmas spirit prevailed on every hand. A beautiful tree was placed in a prominent position and gifts were placed on the tinsel covered boughs for every one present.

A program featured several dramatic readings by Miss Myrtle Kilian, pupil of Mrs. Emma Alexander. The serving of refreshments brought to conclusion this inspirational meeting.

The following officers will guide the destiny of the club next year:

Mrs. Geo. Bruce, president; Mrs. Wm. D. Bozine, vice president; Mrs. R. E. Luckey, secretary; Mrs. Paul J. Newman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jas. M. Larkin, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Long of Georgetown, La., Mrs. Alice White, Mrs. Bessie White Creed and son Gerald of Selma, La., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Balch and family of Swartz, La.



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The Christmas observance always features gay colors, and the table is no exception. If you've been thinking that red and green are the only shades appropriate for the holiday season, this handsome Christmas dinner layout should change your mind. Sparkling blue and shimmering silver are its predominating colors. The ethereal-looking little trees, placed on squares of mirror, are made of shiny blue tinfoil. The service plates are English earthenware decorated with a modern platinum design. The goblets and claret glasses are transparent blue glass. With the tableware of silver, the table thus is set in a two-tone scheme against the white cloth.

The Clew of the Forgotten Murder

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CHAPTER XXV

While Bleeker was telephoning, Sidney Griff paced restlessly up and down the apartment. His head was thrust forward. His eyes were squinted in thought. He seemed utterly oblivious of Dan Bleeker and of the telephoned instructions Bleeker was giving to his newspaper. When Bleeker had hung up the telephone and returned to his chair Griff suddenly whirled on him.

"How about putting them on that Elite Apartment to shadow whoever came out? Did you do it?"

Bleeker looked crestfallen.

"I did it," he said, "but I'm afraid I did it too late. I didn't consider it was of prime importance. I sent men out there. After all, you know, we're running a newspaper and while I'm going to move heaven and earth to get this thing cleared up, we haven't got men to scatter around the city just on the hump something may turn up."

"So," said Griff softly and with an ominous calm, "you let her get away from you. Is that right?"

"Not Esther Ordway," said Bleeker. "She'd gone already. There was no use watching the place after she'd left, except to get a line on someone who might come there and I couldn't see how we could find out just who was going to her apartment and who was going to the apartment of some other person. At any rate, the apartment is still there and the man is watching. It's Alice Lorton who has left. My men report there's no one in the apartment."

Sidney Griff made a snorting, explosive sound.

"Well," he said, "we'll let it pass. I'll tell you more about that after a while. What else have you got?"

you're saying or are you just talking?"

"I know what I'm saying," Griff said, continuing to examine the checks.

Bleeker took a letter from his pocket.

"There's a letter," he said, "sent to Esther Ordway. Apparently it's something in the nature of a love letter. It's signed Robert Chelton. It's sent from Summerville. It was sent out Sunday—that's yesterday—and arrived on the early mail this morning. It's rather ardent in its terms of affection. One gathers that Miss Ordway has been the recipient of several proposals of marriage from Robert Chelton but she has remained firm in her conclusion to live a single life. Apparently she's been divorced once before and is finished with all forms of matrimonial venture."

The criminologist turned the letter over slowly in his fingers.

"You have, of course, taken steps to find out about the writer of this letter?" he asked.

"I've taken the steps, yes," Bleeker said. "It's too early, as yet, to get a report."

"When you get a report," Griff said slowly, "you will find that Robert Chelton registered at a hotel in Summerville; that the address which he gave was either so general it is of no assistance or that it was fictitious; that he remained long enough to write and mail this letter and that when he checked out of the hotel and no one knows where he went."

"You've already checked him?" asked Bleeker.

"No," Griff said. "I know who he was and why the letter was written and, without reading the letter, I am willing to wager there is some reference in it to her roommate, Alice Lorton."

"There is," Bleeker said. "He has a paragraph about how charmed he was to meet Miss Lorton and how pleased he is that Esther Ordway has so delightful and charming a roommate."

Griff nodded slowly.

"But aren't you going to read the letter?" asked Bleeker.

Griff shook his head and tossed the letter to the desk.

"There's no need," he said. "It was a red herring drawn across our trail, but it arrived too late. However, one thing is certain. An attempt will be made on the part of Alice Lorton to get the mail from the apartment some time this morning.

She will either return to the apartment or send some young man there with a key to the mail box. She will be anxious to get this letter with the checks."

"You mean Esther Ordway?" asked Bleeker.

"No," said the criminologist, "I mean Alice Lorton. Although Esther Ordway is probably her real name."

"They're one and the same?" asked Bleeker.

"They're one and the same," Sidney Griff told him. "Beyond any doubt."

"But why should Alice Lorton re-

port the disappearance of Esther Ordway?"

"Because," Griff said slowly, "it was imperative that Esther Ordway should disappear. It was also, for certain reasons, either impossible or unwise for Esther Ordway to give up her apartment and flee. Therefore, she simply took the name of a mysterious Alice Lorton and told us the story about the disappearance of her fictitious roommate."

"But surely," Bleeker said, "she couldn't have expected to have such a story stand up. Under a rigid police investigation the deception would have been noted almost immediately. She couldn't have accounted for herself."

"Don't be too certain about that," Griff said. "There undoubtedly was an Alice Lorton. Alice Lorton merged her identity into that of Esther Ordway for certain purposes. Then, when it became apparent that Esther Ordway identity was going to get her into trouble, she switched back to the identity of Alice Lorton. She could have given the police a fairly accurate history up to approximately the time that Esther Ordway entered the apartment."

"But the police could have confronted her with the people in the apartment and . . ."

"And would have got no place," Griff interrupted. "The police would have found that persons in the apartment had seen her coming and going. They would have known that she was living in the apartment. They would have known whether she was Esther Ordway or Alice Lorton."

The Yuletide colors of red and green were carried out effectively in the table covers and again reflected in the clever tallies and score cards.

The gifts for high scores, lovely Dresden china vases wrapped in gay Christmas tissue, were presented to Mrs. Boysie Spear for first prize, and Mrs. Isaac Chapman for second. The cut prize for the tea guests, a beautiful wall vase also of Dresden china, was awarded to Miss Lucie Jane Hart's. The low score prize at each table was a delicately tinted china figurine.

At the conclusion of the games Mrs. Davis Kaplan of Monroe and Mrs. Leo Terzia, presided over the beautifully appointed tea table which was centered with a plaque of crimson berries and trailing foliage, and on either side four gleaming red tapers burned softly in bronze holders. Assisting the hostesses in serving dainty sandwiches, canapes, bon-bons and cakes were Mrs. Jake Kern, Mrs. F. K. Pettiss, Mrs. H. A. L. Swan, Mrs. Fred Wolff, Mrs. Arthur Ross and Miss Ardath Lieta Terzia.

Those who enjoyed this delightful occasion were Mesdames R. E. Holladay, James Tisdale, Fred Wolff, H. L. Seligman, Allan Pomeroy, Arthur McMeans, Clifton Ingram, L. E. Pagan, Frank W. Hawthorne, E. V. Loftin, Hunter Patterson, V. H. Reitzell, Estelle A. Harris, H. A. L. Swan, F. K. Pettiss, C. A. Colburn, William Meeks, Leroy Mattison, Charles A. Kroemer, Dan Files, George Goodwin, Arthur Ross, Fannie Taylor, George Ludium, Field Montgomery, A. C. Volk, J. W. Gillen, E. L. Gladney, A. G. McBride, Archie Bain McBride, G. J. Coddwin, McVea Young, W. W. Poinbeouff, David Blackshear, J. B. Bennett, A. B. Andrews, Leroy Loftin, S. M. Stelling,

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Miss Tate, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tate of Warren, Ark., has been making her home in this city for the past year and is employed at Crowe's Beauty shop. Mr. Cox is the son of Mrs. George Cox of third ward and is a prominent young business man of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox are at home at 338 West Madison street where they are receiving the felicitations of their friends.

The gaieties of the Christmas season were ushered in by a beautifully arranged bridge tea, given at the Morehouse County club Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. F. L. Billington, Mrs. William Terzia and Mrs. Snyder as co-hostesses.

The lounge was made gay and festive in holiday attire, with brightly tinted lights and a profusion of red berries and green branches of pine. Stately decorated Christmas trees stood in the four corners of the room and formed a lovely setting for the handsomely gowned hostesses and their large number of guests. A miniature tree, softly glowing, was on the table, laden with gifts for the holders of the lucky scores.

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Manifesting their deep appreciation for the two years of splendid achievement on the part of Mrs. Sidney A. Moss as president of the Missouri Pacific Women's club, members presented her with a handsome silver coffee service at their regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon.

Realizing that great trees from little acorns grow, Mrs. Moss built up a splendid organization from a few uninterested members to one that represents every line of industry in the Missouri Pacific field. This club today is made up of women whose heart is in the splendid work being done and in the social side of life enjoyed at their comfortable club house. Mrs. Moss has been a constant inspiration to members who have strived to reach the goal of endeavor established by their leader.

In retiring as president, Mrs. Moss feels that she has accomplished something really worth while in bringing women from the various departments together in bonds of friendship and loyalty to the organization which they represent.

During the past two years the club house has been transformed into a comfortable recreation center where the members enjoy entertainments of a social nature. A perfectly equipped tree was placed in a prominent position and gifts were placed on the tinsel covered boughs for every one present.

A program featured several dramatic readings by Miss Myrtle Kilian, pupil of Mrs. Emma Alexander. The serving of refreshments brought to conclusion this inspirational meeting.

The following officers will guide the destiny of the club next year:

Mrs. Geo. Bruce, president; Mrs. Wm. D. Bozeman, vice president; Mrs. R. E. Luckey, secretary; Mrs. Paul J. Newman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jas. M. Larkin, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Long of Georgetown, La., Mrs. Alice White, Mrs. Bessie White Creed and son Gerald of Selma, La., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bach and family of Swartz, La.

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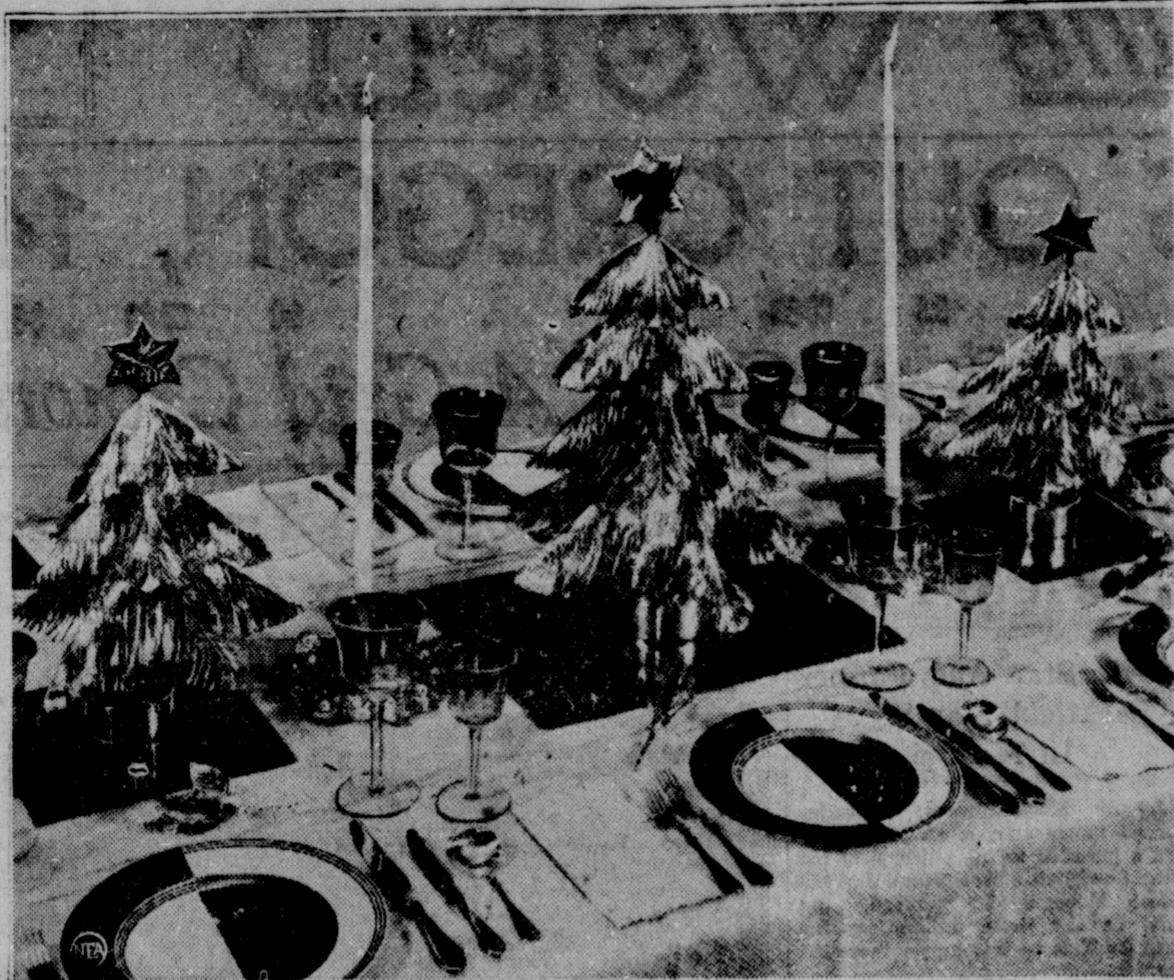
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MODERN CHRISTMAS TABLE



The Christmas observance always features gay colors, and the table is no exception. If you've been thinking that red and green are the only shades appropriate for the holiday season, this handsome Christmas dinner layout should change your mind. Sparkling blue and shimmering silver are its predominating colors. The ethereal-looking little trees, placed on squares of mirror, are made of shiny blue tinfoil. The service plates are English earthenware decorated with a modern platinum design. The goblets and claret glasses are transparent blue glass. With the tableware of silver, the table thus is set in a two-tone scheme against the white cloth.

The Clew of the Forgotten Murder

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CHAPTER XXV

While Bleeker was telephoning, Sidney Griff paced restlessly up and down the apartment. His head was thrust forward. His eyes were squinted in thought. He seemed utterly oblivious of Dan Bleeker and of the telephoned instructions Bleeker was giving to his newspaper. When Bleeker had hung up the telephone and returned to his chair Griff suddenly whirled on him.

"How about putting them on that Elite Apartment to shadow whoever came out? Did you do it?"

Bleeker looked crestfallen.

"I did it," he said, "but I'm afraid I did it too late. I didn't consider it was of prime importance. I sent men out there. After all, you know, we're running a newspaper and while I'm going to move heaven and earth to get this thing cleared up, we haven't got men to scatter around the city, just on the hope something may turn up."

"So," said Griff softly and with an ominous calm, "you let her get away from you. Is that right?"

"Not Esther Ordway," said Bleeker. "She'd gone already. There was no use watching the place after she'd left, except to get a line on someone who might come there and I couldn't see how we could find out just who was going to her apartment and who was going to the apartment of some other person. At any rate, the apartment is still there and the man is watching. It's Alice Lorton who has left. My men report there's no one in the apartment."

Sidney Griff made a short, explosive sound.

"Well," he said, "we'll let it pass. I'll tell you more about that after a while. What else have you got?"

you're saying or are you just talking?"

"I know what I'm saying," Griff said, continuing to examine the checks.

Bleeker took a letter from his pocket.

"There's a letter," he said, "sent to Esther Ordway. Apparently it's something in the nature of a love letter. It's signed Robert Chelton. It's sent from Summerville. It was sent out Sunday—that's yesterday—and arrived on the early mail this morning. It's rather ardent in its terms of affection. One gathers that Miss Ordway has been the recipient of several proposals of marriage from Robert Chelton but she has remained firm in her conclusion to live a single life. Apparently she's been divorced once before and is finished with all forms of matrimonial venture."

The criminologist turned the letter over slowly in his fingers.

"You have, of course, taken steps to find out about the writer of this letter," he asked.

"I've taken the steps, yes," Bleeker said. "It's too early, as yet, to get a report."

"When you get a report," Griff said slowly, "you will find that Robert Chelton registered at a hotel in Summerville; that the address which he gave was either so general it is of no assistance or that it was fictitious; that he remained long enough to write and mail this letter and that he then checked out of the hotel and no one knows where he went."

"You've already checked him?" asked Bleeker.

"No," Griff said. "I know who he was and why the letter was written and, without reading the letter, I am willing to wager there is some reference in it to her roommate, Alice Lorton."

"There is," Bleeker said. "He has a paragraph about how charmed he was to meet Miss Lorton and how pleased he is that Esther Ordway has so delightful and charming a roommate."

Bleeker nodded slowly.

"But aren't you going to read the letter?" asked Bleeker.

Griff shook his head and tossed the letter to the desk.

"There is no need," he said. "It was a red herring drawn across our trail, but it arrived too late. However, one thing is certain. An attempt will be made on the part of Alice Lorton to get the mail from the apartment some time this morning.

She will either return to the apartment or send some young man there with a key to the mail box. She will be anxious to get this letter with the checks."

"You mean Esther Ordway?" asked Bleeker.

"No," said the criminologist. "I mean Alice Lorton. Although Esther Ordway is probably her real name."

"They're one and the same?" asked Bleeker.

"They're one and the same," Sidney Griff told him. "Beyond any doubt."

"But why should Alice Lorton re-

port the disappearance of Esther Ordway?"

"Because," Griff said slowly, "it was imperative that Esther Ordway should disappear. It was also for certain reasons, either impossible or unwise for Esther Ordway to give up her apartment and flee. Therefore, she simply took the name of a mysterious Alice Lorton and told us the story about the disappearance of her fictitious roommate."

"But surely," Bleeker said, "she couldn't have expected to have such a story stand up. Under a rigid police investigation the deception would have been noted almost immediately. She couldn't have accounted for herself . . ."

"Don't be too certain about that," Griff said. "There undoubtedly was an Alice Lorton. Alice Lorton merged her identity into that of Esther Ordway for certain purposes. Then, when it became apparent that the Ordway identity was going to get her into trouble, she switched back to the identity of Alice Lorton. She could have given the police a fairly accurate history up to approximately the time that Esther Ordway entered the apartment."

"But the police could have confronted her with the people in the apartment and . . ."

"And would have got no place," Griff interrupted. "The police would have found that persons in the apartment had seen her coming and going. They would have known that she was living in the apartment. They wouldn't have known whether she was Esther Ordway or Alice Lorton. The only persons who might have given testimony that would clinch her identity were the persons in the bank. For that reason she wanted to get her bank account closed and sent to her before there was any possibility of police interference. The fact that mail is not delivered on Saturday afternoon nor on Sunday brought about the downfall of the scheme."

"Then this Ordway woman, or Alice Lorton as she calls herself, is probably the woman in the case."

"You forget," Griff pointed out, "that we have, as yet, to account for the mysterious Mrs. Blanche Malone who is being eagerly sought by the bereaved widow."

(To be continued)

"The key witness," announces Sidney Griff in the next installment, "is going to be Mrs. Blanche Malone if we can find her while she is still alive."

Bastrop

A marriage of interest to many friends was that of Miss Opal Tate and Mr. George Pat Cox of Bastrop, which was quietly solemnized last Saturday, at eleven o'clock in the evening, at the Baptist Parsonage, Reverend H. M. Bennett performing the ceremony in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends.

The bride was altogether charming

in an ensemble of brown with matching accessories; an exquisite arm bouquet of golden colored chrysanthemums creating a distinctive touch.

Miss Tate, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tate of Warren, Ark., has been making her home in this city for the past year and is employed at Crowe's Beauty shop. Mr. Cox is the son of Mrs. George Cox of this ward and is a prominent young business man of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox are at home at 355 West Madison street where they are receiving the felicitations of their friends.

The gaieties of the Christmas season were ushered in by a beautifully arranged bridge tea, given at the Morehouse Country club Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. F. L. Billington, Mrs. William Terzia and Mrs. Snyder as co-hostesses.

The lounge was made gay and festive in holiday attire, with brightly lit lights and a profusion of red berries and green branches of pine. Stately decorated Christmas trees stood in the four corners of the room and formed a lovely setting for the handsomely dressed hostesses and their large number of guests. A miniature tree, softly glowing, was on the table laden with gifts for the holders of the lucky scores.

The Yuletide colors of red and green were carried out effectively in the table covers and again reflected in the clever tallies and score cards.

The gifts for high scores, lovely Dresden china vases wrapped in gay Christmas tissue, were presented to Mrs. Boysie Spear for first prize, and Fred Coats, C. G. Scott, L. G. Robinson, W. C. Hornsby, R. E. Cullen, L. G. Gill, Robert Todd Morris, Misses Nonie Bain, Tina Collins, Margaret Colburn, Edith Hobbs, Mesdames David Kaplan, Ida Kaplan, Terzia Terzia of Monroe, Alice N. Briggs and Janet Powell of Detroit, Mich.

Tea guests were Mesdames H. F. Madison, Sr., J. P. Madison, Sr., Susan Tisdale, John Morris, J. T. Shell, Reginald Ludlum, Jennie Marx, W. A. Rodgers, James Fuller, C. N. Dalton, W. B. Limerick, Mary Wilson, P. S. Donnelly, S. A. Leopold, Smith Stevenson, R. E. Fullenwider, L. E. Bentley, Emma Tisdale, T. H. McCrae, A. C. Jackson, F. P. Robin-

son, Lloyd O'Neal, Misses Lucie Jane Harris, Mildred Shell and Virginia Robinson, Mrs. Knox of Shreveport, Mrs. Will Ober of Jones.

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LOUISIANA STATE NOSES OUT OREGON, 14 TO 13

TIGERS RALLY IN FINAL PERIOD TO DEFEAT WEBFEET

Accurate Kicking Toe Of Ernie Seago Provides Close Victory

By Quincy Ewing
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 15.—Snapping back with flashy scoring thrusts after being outclassed for nearly half the game and with defeat staring starkly, Louisiana State university's gridmen overcame a 2-touchdown lead today to shade Oregon, 14 to 13.

The accurate extra point kicking toe of Ernie Seago, the brilliant Abe Mickel's placement understudy, plus an Oregon decision that put misjudged faith in a pass instead of a kick for conversion, directly accounted for Louisiana's triumph.

No team probably ever more greatly reversed its form to win after being pushed and shoved around for so long after the opening kick-off as Louisiana State did in beating the Webfeet from the northwest.

From the first play until the middle of the second quarter the Louisianians were subjected to power battering and a dazzling air attack that made them look miserable.

Oregon's emerald-jerseyed warriors, playing smart, fast football, and led by the dashing backs, Mickel and Van Vliet, hammered and passed to touchdowns in the first and second periods to lead L. S. U. 13 to 0.

After their first touchdown, which came when Mickel skidded around left end for three yards after an air bombardment and line smashes put the ball in striking range, the Webfeet tried to pass for the extra point instead of kicking. A pass by Van Vliet fell dead behind the goal.

Early in the second period, Van Vliet, as if to make up for the missed point, broke through left guard from Louisiana 25-yard line and dodged State tacklers to the goal. This time, Walker, substitute end, kicked the point.

Then Captain "Biff" Jones, State coach, after sending in his reserves, who fighting viciously, kept the Oregonians at bay for a while, gave his first stringers some bend pointers and shot them back in. From then on it was a different game.

Mickel began zipping passes to Barrett, L. S. U. end and crack throw receiver, and worked the apple to the 4-yard line. From there Mickel slipped a flat one to Barrett over the goal, Seago converted.

With the game end nearing, and with Mickel out, Fatheree, race horse of the Tiger, tore around left end for 39 yards and a touchdown.

Oregon had the best of it in first downs, 14 to 12.

Six Tigers ended their play for L. S. U. Yates, Sullivan, Roland Brown, all backs; Ray, Egan, guard, Frank Moore, end, and Lloyd Stovall, center. All but Brown got in the game.

The line-ups: Oregon. Pos. L. S. U. Simpson ... LE ... Barrett Eagle ... LT ... Baldwin Cagnon ... LG ... Helveston Fury ... C ... Stewart Bjork ... RG ... Brown Frye ... RT ... Rukas Riordan ... RB ... Tinsley Terjeson ... QB ... Sullivan Van Vliet ... LH ... Mickel Reischman ... RH ... Fatheree Mickel ... FB ... Seago

Score by periods: Oregon 6 7 0 0-13 Louisiana State 0 7 0 7-14

Summary: Oregon scoring touchdowns, Mickel, Van Vliet; extra point, Walker, (sub for Riordan). Louisiana State scoring touchdowns, Barrett, Fatheree; extra points, Seago (2).

Officials: Referee, Irwin, Drake; umpire, Powell, Sewage; headlines, Phillips, George Tech; field judge, Utay, Texas A. & M.

Candescents Wins First Event At Tropical Park

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 15.—(P)—Florida's 92-day racing season opened today with the nerve-tingling thrill of a neck and neck finish as Philip Sanford's Candescents romped home winner in the first event at Tropical park.

A cosmopolitan crowd of 10,000, drawn by the prospects of a record winter season, swarmed the grandstand and club house. Sunny skies and a hard, fast track did their part for the gala opening, while a fall nip in the air had the thoroughbreds on edge.

Long lines formed at the parimutuel windows and it was estimated \$10,000 was bet on the seven races.

Jackson Gets Mississippi Valley Basketball Meet

JACKSON, Tenn., Dec. 15.—(P)—The 1935 boys' and girls' basketball tournament of the Mississippi Valley conference will be held in Jackson Feb. 25-26, conference directors voted here today.

W. M. Kethley of Delta State Teachers college, Cleveland, Miss., conference president, announced that Tupelo (Miss.) Military institute was admitted to membership on one-year probation.

Bethel college of McKenzie, Tenn., was awarded the 1934 football championship. Other titleholders recognized were: State Teachers college, Memphis, baseball; Lambuth college, Jackson, boys' basketball; Lambuth, girls' basketball; Lambuth, boys' tennis, and Lambuth, girls' tennis.

Besides Tupelo, conference mem-

Byrd Whips Holy Cross To Take State Class A Grid Crown

CORNERSTONE WITH A SOCK



The gloves he wore when he won the heavyweight title from Jess Willard in 1919 were placed under the cornerstone of Jack Dempsey's new restaurant in New York by the old Manassa Mauler at the formal setting of the slab. Here is Jack with the gloves, while Mayor LaGuardia stands ready with a trowel and mortar. At left in rear is Mrs. Dempsey, the former Hannah Williams.

All-Stars Play Neville In Benefit Battle Today

Husky Group Recruited To Play Tigers At Forsythe Park

SHIELDS DEMOTED IN NET RANKINGS

Eastern Lawn Tennis Group Places Wood In No. 1 Position

NEW YORK Dec. 15.—Frank Shields' tennis stock, weakened by an unimpressive season this year, took its first fall today as the Eastern Lawn Tennis association, announcing its rankings for 1934, demoted the tall New Yorker to No. 2.

Shields' demotion in the eastern rankings, which placed Sidney B. Wood, Jr., of New York at the head of a list of 25 ranked players, is expected to be followed by a similar reduction in his standing in the national "first ten," which he topped last year. Nationally, it is generally figured that Shields will drop to third place.

The election of Wood to No. 1 vied for importance with the lifting of Berkeley Bell, the erstwhile Texas firebrand, from No. 6 to No. 3 and the dropping of Gregory Mangin of Newark, N. J., from No. 2 to No. 5. Bell staged a spectacular comeback on turf last summer and was going at breakneck speed until he folded up before Clifford Sutter in the national championship. Despite the defeat he was ranked a notch above Sutter.

Mangin dropped the national championship to Lester R. Steen and generally had an "off" season, part-occurred by an eye ailment.

The eastern "first ten," announced by a committee of which W. M. Fischer is chairman, follows: No. 1 Sidney B. Wood, Jr., New York; No. 2 Frank X. Shields, New York; No. 3 Berkley Bell, New York; No. 4 Clifford Sutter, New York; No. 5 Gregory S. Mangin, New York; No. 6 J. Gilbert Hall, South Orange, N. J.; No. 7 Dr. Eugene McCauliff, Yonkers, N. Y.; No. 8 Edward W. Feibleman, New York; No. 9 Leonard Hartman, New York; No. 10 Frank J. Bowden, New York.

The All-Stars' starting line-up hadn't been determined last night.

The Nevilles team will start with the following line-up, it was announced last night: Causey, right end; Lufey, right tackle; Aggar, right guard; Peag, center; Hamilton, left guard; Tenore, left tackle; Sumerall, left end; Pierce, quarterback; bell, and Basco, halfbacks; and Pappas, fullback.

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TIGERS RALLY IN FINAL PERIOD TO DEFEAT WEBFEET

Accurate Kicking Toe Of Ernie Seago Provides Close Victory

By Quincy Ewing
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 15.—Snapping back with flashy scoring thrusts after being outclassed for nearly half the game and with defeat staring starkly, Louisiana State university's gridmen overcame a 2-touchdown lead today to shade Oregon, 14 to 13.

The accurate extra point kicking toe of Ernie Seago, the brilliant Abe Mickel's placement understudy, plus an Oregon decision that put misjudged faith in a pass instead of a kick for conversion, directly accounted for Louisiana's triumph.

No team probably ever more greatly reversed its form to win after being pushed and shoved around for so long after the opening kick-off as Louisiana State did in beating the Webfeet from the northwest.

From the first play until the middle of the second quarter the Louisianians were subjected to power battering and a dazzling air attack that made them look miserable.

Oregon's emerald-jerseyed warriors, playing smart, fast football, and led by the dashing backs, Michek and Van Vliet, hammered and passed to touchdowns in the first and second periods to lead L. S. U. 13 to 0.

After their first touchdown, which came when Michek skidded around left end for three yards after an air bombardment and line smashes put the ball in striking range, the Webfeet tried to pass for the extra point instead of kicking. A pass by Van Vliet fell dead behind the goal.

Early in the second period, Van Vliet, as if to make up for the missed point, broke through left guard from Louisiana 26-yard line and dodged State tacklers to the goal. This time, Walker, substitute end, kicked the point.

Then Captain "Biff" Jones, State coach, after sending in his reserves, who fighting viciously, kept the Oregonians at bay for a while, gave his first stringers some bench pointers and shot them back in. From then on it was a different game.

Mickel began zipping passes to Barrett, L. S. U. end and crack throw receiver, and worked the apple to the 4-yard line. From there Mickel slipped a flat one to Barrett over the goal. Seago converted.

With the game end nearing, and with Mickel out, Fatheree, race horse of the Tiger, tore around left end for 39 yards and a touchdown.

Oregon had the best of it in first downs, 14 to 12.

Six Tigers ended their play for L. S. U., Yates, Sullivan, Roland Brown, all backs, Ray Egan, guard, Frank Moore, end, and Lloyd Stoval, center. All but Brown got in the game.

The line-ups:

Pos.	L. S. U.
Simpson	LE. Baldwin
Eagle	LT. Barrett
Cagnon	LG. Helveston
Fury	C. Stewart
Bjork	RG. Brown
Frye	RT. Rukas
Riordan	RE. Tinsley
Terjeson	QB. Sullivan
Van Vliet	LH. Mickel
Reischman	RH. Fatheree
Michek	FB. Seago

Score by periods:

Oregon 6 7 0 0-13
Louisiana State 0 7 0 7-14

Summary: Oregon scoring touchdowns, Michek, Van Vliet; extra point, Walker, (sub for Riordan). Louisiana State scoring touchdowns, Barrett, Fatheree; extra points, Seago (2).

Officials: Referee, Irwin, Drake; umpire, Powell, Sewanee; headlines, Phillips, Georgia Tech; field judge, Utay, Texas A. & M.

Candescents Wins First Event At Tropical Park

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 15.—(P)—Florida's 92-day racing season opened today with the nerve-tingling thrill of a neck and finish as Philip Sanford's Candescents romped home winner in the first event at Tropical park.

A cosmopolitan crowd of 10,000, drawn by the prospects of a record winter season, swarmed the grandstand and club house. Sunny skies and a hard, fast track did their part for the gala opening, while a fall in the air had the thoroughbreds on edge.

Long lines formed at the parimutuel windows and it was estimated \$110,000 was bet on the seven races.

Jackson Gets Mississippi Valley Basketball Meet

JACKSON, Tenn., Dec. 15.—(P)—The 1935 boys' and girls' basketball tournament of the Mississippi Valley conference will be held in Jackson Feb. 25-26, conference directors voted here today.

W. M. Kethley of Delta State Teachers college, Cleveland, Miss., conference president, announced that Tupelo (Miss.) Military institute was admitted to membership on one-year probation.

Bethel college of McKenzie, Tenn., was awarded the 1934 football championship. Other titleholders recognized were: State Teachers college, Memphis; baseball; Lambuth college, Jackson, boys' basketball; Lambuth, girls' basketball; Lambuth, boys' tennis, and Lambuth, girls' tennis.

Besides Tupelo, conference mem-

CORNERSTONE WITH A SOCK



The gloves he wore when he won the heavyweight title from Jess Willard in 1919 were placed under the cornerstone of Jack Dempsey's new residence in New York by the old Manassa Mauler at the formal setting of the slab. Here is Jack with the gloves, while Mayor LaGuardia stands ready with a trowel and mortar. At left in rear is Mrs. Dempsey, the former Hannah Williams.

All-Stars Play Neville In Benefit Battle Today

Husky Group Recruited To Play Tigers At Forsythe Park

SHIELDS DEMOTED IN NET RANKINGS

Eastern Lawn Tennis Group Places Wood In No. 1 Position

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Frank Shields' tennis stock, weakened by an unimpressive season this year, took it first fall today as the Eastern Lawn Tennis association, announcing its rankings for 1934, demoted the tall New Yorker to No. 2.

The Tigers will be considerably outweighed, but whether the poundage is brown or just fat remains to be seen. For instance, the All-Stars can place a starting line on the field which totals 1,560 pounds from end to end. That's an average of almost 223 pounds per man. The Tigers will average about 155.

Although the affair is expected to provide plenty of fun for the spectators, there may be some good football played. Several players on the "Old Grads" squad are still capable of turning in a fair to middling exhibition and the Neville youngsters may be in for a surprise.

The lack of practice probably will handicap the All-Stars. However, they won't attempt many formations, being content to run four or five plays. These plays were outlined in a blackboard drill at Neville high school Thursday night.

Indications are that a large crowd will be on hand to see the battle. Tickets, which are being sold at 50 cents for adults and 15 cents for school children, were placed on sale at several downtown ticket offices several days ago and a ready response has been reported.

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Davis, Howard; Willis, Centenary; Holt, Arkansas; Wilson, Southwest; Phillips, Ole Miss; Simmons, Mississippi A. & M.; Young, Auburn; Moore, Louisiana Tech; Jones, Ouachita junior college; Yeldell, Louisiana Tech; McGee, Neville; Swayze, Louisiana Tech; Jefferson, Detroit; Smelser, Ouachita junior college; Joe Guerriero, Tulane; George Guerriero, Tulane; Percy Brown, L. S. U.; Harry Brown, L. S. U.; Rush, Henderson-Brown; Courtney, Louisiana Tech; St. Mathew's; Swanson, Louisiana Tech; Fliesmann, Louisiana Tech; Milam, Tulane; McLain, St. Mathew's; Riser, Louisiana Tech; McReynolds, Hendrix; Hendrix; Henderix; Trieschman, Hendrix; Seal, Poplarville; Haddad, Yale; Phelps, L. S. U.; Watkins, Virginia; Hogg, H. L.; Louisiana Tech, and Taylor, L. S. U.

John R. Behr was the leading junior singles player and Helen Pederson was given a similar designation in the junior girls' division. Henry H. Daniels, 15, topped the boys' group.

Germany has prepared nine new charity stamps ranging from 3 to 40 pfennigs. Each bears a surtax which will go to the winter relief fund.

YELLOW JACKETS SUBDUE ORLEANS ENTRY FOR TITLE

Tigers Make Only One First Down Against Strong Shreveporters

SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 15.—(P)—The Byrd high school Yellow Jackets, exhibiting a highly-gearred, versatile offense, and a defense that was practically air tight, pounded out a 14-0 victory over the Holy Cross Tigers of New Orleans here this afternoon to win the state high school football championship of Louisiana.

The Byrdmen took to the air for their first touchdown, with Don Overdyke passing to "Jabbo" Stell from the Holy Cross 41-yard line in the first quarter. They pushed over their next marker in the third period with an exhibition of sheer power that tore the Tiger line to shreds. Stell again provided the score after a steady march had brought the ball from midfield to the three-yard line.

Holy Cross, south Louisiana champions, made only one first down during the entire game, while the Jackets were chalking up eight. The lone Tiger first down made on a pass from Boesch to Claverie, which was good for 47 yards, came about midway of the final period.

The Jackets gained 159 yards and lost 19 on rushing plays, while the Jackets' gains of 31 yards were practically neutralized by their losses which totaled 28 yards. Byrd completed three passes out of nine for a total gain of 67 yards. Holy Cross completed one of nine for 47 yards.

The line-ups:

Byrd	Pos.	Holy Cross
O'Brien	LE.	Beach
Larsen	LT.	Hickey
Smith	LG.	Pardo
Padgett	C.	Kissinger
Karpe	RG.	Daly
Farmer	RT.	Le Croix
McDaniels	RE.	Claverie
Overdyke	QB.	Brunner
H. Stell	LH.	Booth
Sneed	RH.	D'Antonio
Anderson	FB.	Boesch

Score by periods:

Byrd	Pos.	7 0 7 0-14
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Scoring touchdowns, H. Stell, 2; points after touchdown, Overdyke 2; (Place kicks.)

Officials: Banks (Michigan); Rennfro, (Arkansas); Hinton (T. C. U.); Huff (S. M. U.).

HANLEY RESIGNS AT NORTHWESTERN

Coach To Take Vacation And Then Look Around For New Job

EVANSTON, Ill., Dec. 15.—(P)—Dick Hanley today resigned as football coach at Northwestern university.

Hanley, coach of the Wildcats for seven seasons, turned in his resignation to President Walter Dill Scott as the result of intimations by the university's faculty committee that he no longer was wanted as coach.

"I leave without the slightest bit of rancor toward Northwestern or anyone connected with the university," Hanley said. "Northwestern gave me an excellent opportunity and I am sorry that I haven't been able to do more than I did."

Hanley said he would take a three weeks' vacation after the east and west star charity football game at San Francisco New Year's day and then return to Evanston to "look around for a new coaching job." He and Andy Kerr of Colgate are the coaches of the eastern squad. One report was that the faculty committee resented Hanley's activities in the venture.

James Williams Elected Choudrant Grid Captain

CHOURDANT, La., Dec. 15.—(P)—James Williams, line smashing fullback of the Choudrant high school Aggies, was elected captain of the 1935 eleven at a banquet feting the 1934 squad at a luncheon given by Principal C. L. Maden and Coach Hal Willis, assisted by Miss Yvonne Sanderson, home economics teacher.

Jared Terry, a halfback was chosen co-captain.

The banquet was attended by the following players: Buddy Holtzman, "Rip" Pipes, J. Y. McCann, Roy McCann, Jared Vining, James Williams, Tate Hammons, Leon Hammons, Lynn Sanderson, S. W. Leachman, Marvin Cobb, W. T. Boyd, James Williams, Toad Williams, Dick Terry, Novis Thompson, Lou Campbell, C. L. Mondart, and Buck Pipes.

Strong Tinymites Capture Seventh Straight Victory

STRONG, Ark., Dec. 15.—(Special)—The Strong Tinymites made it seven in a row by defeating previously unbeaten Mt. Holly Lady Hornets, 31 to 17, in a fast game here last night.

The work of the Strong guards was especially good, with Norma Kate Lawrence outstanding on guarding and floor work.

BROWN AT TUSCALOOSA

UNIVERSITY, Ala., Dec. 15.—(Special)—With Johnny Mack Brown, one of the heroes of Alabama's first Rose Bowl victory looking on, the Red devils drove through its hardest scrimage session since the close of the regular season today.

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MONROE (LA.) MORNING WORLD

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Milner had to be outstanding to beat Truman Staples of Ouachita Monroe, out for the fullback. He is a 195-pound back who played every minute of every game. Al Liska, St. Alloysius, and Jimmy Cajoleas, Warren Easton, are picked as halfbacks and Atkins of Homer as quarterback for the second or alternate team. They represent a great backfield as high school backs go. For the third set we offer Friedrics of the Jesuits as quarterback; Bob Miller of Baton Rouge and Hugh Maddox of Haynesville as halfbacks, and Roy Joe Anderson, a hard-driving and most consistent ground gainer for Byrd high as fullback, but there are others in the state running these a close second. We could go on naming good backs like Don Texada of Bolton; Andrew Pappas of Neville, Monroe; Bresnan, a fine passer with Commy high; Ben Whitman of Jennings; Fowler of Jonesboro, the big hard-running Ken of Homer and numerous others.

Dawkins Meets Cochrane In Main Event Wednesday Night

1934 All-Louisiana High School Team

Player	Position	Age	Fr.	In.	Wt.	Class	School
Wm. Kirchem	Left End	19	6	3 1/2	195	Senior	Warren East
Herman Farmer	Left Tackle	19	6	2	220	Senior	Byrd High
Ed Gatto	Left Guard	17	5	10	190	Senior	Commy High
Gayle Monget	Center	19	6	175	Senior	Baton Rouge	
Mack Heard	Right Guard	19	5	10	140	Senior	Haynesville
J. W. Goree	Right Tackle	19	5	11	170	Senior	Haynesville
Carl Overdyke	Right End	15	5	9	170	Junior	Lafayette
Don Overdyke	Quarterback	16	5	10	165	Senior	Byrd High
Barrett Booth	Left Half	19	5	11	178	Senior	Holy Cross
Chas. Banker	Right Half	18	6	2	160	Senior	Lake Charles
Guy Milner	Fullback	19	6	3	185	Senior	Bolton High

SECOND TEAM

Player	School	Position	Player	School
Pattison	Jonesboro	Left End	Sherman	Haynesville
Larsen	Byrd High	Left Tackle	Parton	Bossier
Smith	Byrd High	Left Guard	Pardo	Holy Cross
Kissingher	Holy Cross	Center	Page	Bolton
Gentry	Homer	Right Guard	Miller	Minden
Boudreax	Lake Charles	Right Tackle	Reddeg	Jennings
Loker	Jesuit	Right End	DeFrates	Fortier
Atkins	Homer	Quarterback	Friedrichs	Jesuit
Liska	St. Alloysius	Left Halfback	Miller	Baton Rouge
Cajoleas	Warren Easton	Right Halfback	H. Maddox	Haynesville
Staples	Ouachita	Fullback	A. Anderson	Byrd High

who made the task doubly hard of picking the four best backs.

Bill Kirchem of Warren Easton, a boy who stands over 6 feet and has really turned in some great end play this season, is picked for one terminal and Carl Jackson of Lafayette, a fine punter who weighs 170, as the other. The end situation furnished a problem because in Loker the Jesuits have a fine wingman who also has a reputation as a kicker. J. Sumrall of Neville high, who stands 6 feet 1; Sherman of Haynesville; DeFrates of Fortier; Tight Pattison, a boy with Jonesboro, who stands 6 feet 4 inches and weighs 194; Siple of Bolton; McDaniels of Byrd high and Harrison of Baton Rouge were ranking ends. Besides Holy Cross had a star in Bachemin, who became ineligible after reaching 21.

Farmer Great Tackle

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Light Heavyweights Stage Stirring Battle In Friday Bout

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Leonard took some awful blows but was able to withstand the attack and fought back furiously to earn a draw although Barnett was the heavier and had the height and reach on the kid.

In the preliminaries "Scrappy" McNeese of Jackson, Miss., weighing 133 pounds, gained a technical knockout over Kid Murphy, 135, of Hammond, Ind. The two boxers mixed it freely for five fast rounds. Murphy's seconds tossed the towel in the fifth after the fighter appeared unable to take much more.

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Milner had to be outstanding to beat Truman Staples of Ouachita Monroe, out for the fullback. Here is a 155-pound back who played every minute of every game. Al Liska, St. Alloysius, and Jimmy Cajoles, Warren Easton, are picked as halfbacks and Atkins of Homer as quarterback for the second or alternate team. They represent a great backfield as high school backs go. For a third set we offer Friedrichs of the Jesuits as quarterback; Bob Miller of Baton Rouge and Hugh Maddox of Haynesville as halfbacks, and Roy Joe Anderson, a hard-driving and most consistent ground gainer for Byrd high, as fullback, but there are others in the state running these a close second. We could go on naming good backs like Don Texada of Bolton, Andrew Bresnan, a fine passer with Commy high; Ben Whitman of Jennings; Fowler of Jonesboro, the big hard-running Kendrick of Homer and numerous others

1934 All-Louisiana High School Team

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Herman Farmer	Left Tackle	19	6	220	Senior	Byrd High	
Ed Gatto	Left Guard	17	5	10	190	Senior	Commy High
Gayle Monget	Center	19	6	175	Senior	Baton Rouge	
Mack Heard	Right Guard	19	5	10	140	Senior	Haynesville
J. W. Goree	Right Tackle	19	5	11	170	Senior	Haynesville
Carl Jackson	Right End	15	5	9	170	Junior	Lafayette
Don Overdyke	Quarterback	16	5	10	165	Senior	Byrd High
Barrett Booth	Left Half	19	6	11	178	Senior	Holy Cross
Chas. Bunker	Right Half	18	6	2	160	Senior	Lake Charles
Guy Milner	Fullback	19	6	3	185	Senior	Bolton High

SECOND TEAM

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Pattison	Jonesboro	Left End	Sherman	Haynesville
Byrd	Byrd High	Left Tackle	Pattison	Bossier
Smith	Byrd High	Left Guard	Pardo	Holy Cross
Kissinger	Holy Cross	Center	Pace	Bolton
Gentry	Homer	Right Guard	Miller	Minden
Boudreault	Lake Charles	Right Tackle	Reddick	Jennings
Loker	Jesuits	Right End	DeFrates	Fortier
Atkins	Homer	Quarterback	Friedrichs	Jesuits
Liska	St. Alloysius	Left Halfback	Miller	Baton Rouge
Cajoles	Warren Easton	Right Halfback	Maddox	Haynesville
Staples	Quachita	Fullback	Anderson	Byrd High

who made the task doubly hard of picking the four best backs.

Bill Kirchen of Warren Easton, a boy who stands over 6 feet and has really turned in some great end play this season, is picked for one terminal and Carl Jackson of Lafayette, a fine punter who weighs 170, as the other. The end situation furnished a problem because in Loker the Jesuits have a fine wingman who also has a reputation as a kicker. J. Sumrall of Neville high, who stands 6 feet 4 inches, is 148; Siple of Bolton; McDaniel of Byrd high and Harrison of Baton Rouge were ranking ends. Brides of Holy Cross had a star in Benjamin, who became ineligible after reaching 21.

Farmer Great Tackle

The tackles were big but Herman Farmer, weight 220 and who stands 6 feet 2 inches, Byrd high had the standout. He has played great ball for Coach Knillans and is ready for college football. Joe Aillet had a fine tackle in J. W. Goree at Haynesville whom we have also picked for the first team. Larsen, weighing over 200 pounds, was Shreveport's other tackle and a good one. George Boudreault ranked right near the top at Lake Charles. Bossier had Dub Partin, weight 250, and Peters, 20, as tackles and this is coming pretty big for high school football. Reddick of Jennings, weight 190; Murphy of Oakdale, weight 210, are other weighty tackles but in New Orleans were Cy Hickey at Holy Cross; Jim Rooney at the Jesuits; Tony Calagno, Fortier, and Herman Shattles, Warren Easton, who stood out.

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NINE SCHOOLS FURNISH STARS FOR ALL-STATE TEAM

Dawkins Meets Cochrane In Main Event Wednesday Night

FORMER MONROE BOY RETURNS TO LOCAL STADIUM

Wrestling Show To Be For Benefit Of Police Relief Group

"Scottie" Dawkins, a native of Monroe, will return to his home city Wednesday night in the main event of the weekly wrestling show at Roosevelt stadium, meeting George Cochrane, the Seattle meanie, on a benefit car.

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Dawkins is husky enough to take care of himself against any opponent. He gets rough when the occasion demands, according to advance dope, but he doesn't particularly prefer that type of wrestling. However, there's no doubt but that he'll have to dish it out against Cochrane, because George forces it on 'em.

Cochrane, of course, is well known here. He's plenty tough and doesn't care a hoot about the rules. Fouling is his chief dish and there's no reason to believe the big fellow will let up on Dawkins.

Scottie will be spotting Cochrane here eight pounds when they meet Wednesday night. The former Washington lumberjack scales around 228. The main event will be best two out of three falls, with a two-hour time limit.

The match will be sponsored by the Police Relief association and Promoter Charlie Bruscato is attempting to line up an excellent semi-final match in order to bill the show as a double main event. A portion of the proceeds will go to the relief fund, which is used to take care of members of the association and their families in case of illness and other misfortune.

The advance ticket sale will be held and it is expected that a capacity crowd will turn out, in view of the fact that it is a benefit show and a former Monroe boy is coming back to show his wares in the ring.

MILLSAPS BOOKS 27-GAME SLATE

Majors To Meet Louisiana Tech Five In Ruston On January 9

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 15.—(AP)—Coach B. O. Van Hook today announced the basketball schedule for his Millsaps Majors, listing 27 games on one of the most ambitious cards ever attempted by the Purple and White squad.

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With six letter men back to form the nucleus, and a host of junior college and freshmen prospects in camp, Coach Van Hook expects to open the season with a fairly stable squad of 28 consecutive losses, one more than was suffered by the Purple and White.

More in sorrow than in anger Brian Coyne, sports editor of the Arkansas City, Kan., Daily Traveler, writes the Associated Press that Arkansas Junior college completed a string of 28 consecutive losses, one more than was suffered by the Purple and White.

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After the fight Promoter J. M. Skinner announced he was negotiating for another Hazuda-Childress fight here for January 3.

Arkansas City Eleven Seek Dubious Honors

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plying to almost all types of tobacco. Final returns on this measure will be announced about December 21.

AAA officials assert that legislation has been satisfactory and that a vote for continuance is almost certain.

Another problem raised by the Bankhead vote was whether the tax which the act levies will apply on all cotton marketed above 10,400,000 bales—as was the case this year.

Senator Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama, favors the 10,400,000 quota but AAA officials point out that about 12,000,000 bales will be grown under the voluntary program. They assert that the Bankhead act and the voluntary plan must synchronize to avoid arousing the south against both plans. They will insist on about 12,000,000 tax-free bales.

Merchants of Belgium are seriously concerned regarding the maintenance of trade barriers throughout the world.

Railroad, Airway And Motor Coach Schedule

DELTA AIRWAYS
(U. S. Mail)

EAST BOUND—WEST BOUND

Arrive Depart Arrive Depart

1:50 pm 1:55 pm 1:15 pm 1:25 pm

ILLINOIS CENTRAL SYSTEM

EAST BOUND—Arrive Depart

No. 20—Fast 1:15 pm 7:45 pm

No. 202—Fast 7:40 pm 7:45 pm

WEST BOUND—Arrive Depart

No. 201—Fast 10:00 am 10:05 am

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MISSOURI PACIFIC LINES

MAIN LINE—North Arrive Depart

No. 118 8:28 am 8:38 am

No. 119 8:38 am 8:48 am

MAIN LINE—South Arrive Depart

No. 101 8:00 am 8:05 am

No. 115 8:07 pm 8:15 pm

NARROW-EL DORADO—

116-841-848 9:07 pm 8:38 am

No. 846-110 9:07 pm 8:38 am

FARMERVILLE—Arrive Depart

No. 121 5:10 pm 6:35 am

Daily except Sunday.

MISSOURI PACIFIC COACHES

Arrive Depart

St. Louis and L. Rock 7:30 pm 8:00 pm

To and from Natchez 11:15 pm 4:30 pm

To and from Bastrop 8:30 am 12:00 pm

To and from Bastrop 3:25 pm 5:30 pm

MISSOURI PACIFIC TRANSPORTATION

NORTH BOUND—SOUTH BOUND

(From Alexandria) 9:55 am 7:30 pm

7:35 pm 12:15 pm

7:40 pm 12:30 pm

TRI-STATE MOTOR COACHES

EAST BOUND—WEST BOUND

3:45 pm 3:25 pm

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Irish Free State Troupe To Visit 60 U. S. Cities

Abbey Theater Players Of

Dublin Desert Gotham

Rialto

By Paul Harrison

(NEA Service Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Any day now the Abbey Theater Players of Dublin will be packing up their handspun shawls and square-crowned berries, their hairloom dresses and funny tailcoats, and will start out to weave their magic behind the footlights of 60 American cities.

They'll pack up their three-legged stools, too, and their big drum, and the harness and the vestments, and the coffin beside which they play "five-fifteen" as bullets swizz past in "The Plough and the Stars."

Also they'll take along the turb, or peat, which was imported from the old country through devil a little is left now, when with half the Irish fans on Broadway, filching and begging bits of it for luck.

It will be their longest trip ever,

from one coast to another, Texas to Vancouver, and back to New York for a sailing in June. Twenty years ago the Abbey people came here on tour, but subsequently they haven't been able to get west of Chicago because each engagement has had a way of extending itself weeks beyond schedule. This time they'll stick to their itinerary.

The Abbey theater is the national theater of the Irish Free State, and the only national theater of the English-speaking stage. It was the forerunner of the little-theater movement, and in its wake came such organizations as the Washington Square Players of New York, from which sprang the Theater Guild, and all the other groups and guilds across the country.

When W. B. Yeats, Lady Gregory and "A. E." (George Russell) founded the Irish company in 1898, they had neither funds nor theater, nor even any plays. It was just the dream of a poet, an author, and a writer of verse plays out of Ireland's legendary past.

Until 1904 the players were amateurs who rehearsed and acted in such time as they could spare from their regular jobs. In that year they were discovered by a wealthy Englishwoman, who gave them a subsidy, bought an old building on Dublin's Abbey street, and remodeled it into a theater. Today the organization gets a subsidy from the Irish Free State.

Michael Dolan, prominent in the present cast, and director of the theater's school of acting, remembers when the Abbey's stage was so small that the company had to line up against the back wall while the scenery was being changed.

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any other spending to restore prosperity and general employment.

Those that have been in England say it looks like "a new country," with "miles of ribbons of new houses numbering more than two millions."

EVEN IN A DEPRESSION, American business admits no limitations when it comes to "service." Telegraph companies, gratis, supply you with texts for telegrams to your mother, wife, brother, children on birthdays or Christmas. Mr. White, president of Western Union, tells his organization, "do everything to oblige the public."

One of the favorites, Sean O'Casey's "The Plough and the Stars," was acknowledged as among the four or five finest plays of the roadway season when it had its premiere here in 1927. "The Playboy of the Western World," by J. M. Synge, certainly is one of the grandest comedies ever written.

Lennon Robinson, famed playwright and director of the Abbey theater, has contributed "The Whitehead Boy," "Drama at Inish," "The Far Off Hills," and a couple of others to the list. Incidentally, "Drama at Inish" was produced in New York a year ago under a different name and by an assemblage of local actors, and was pretty dismal stuff. In the hands of the Abbey group it is one of the choicest items on the stage today.

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FRED HANNA III

The condition of Fred Hanna, manager of the motor vehicle bureau here, continued serious late last night at St. Francis sanitarium, where he is receiving treatment for double pneumonia. Mr. Hanna became ill last Monday and was carried to the sanitarium Wednesday.

Caterpillars on the track recently stopped a train near Wollamia, Australia.

And to regulate prices by law is to

strangle initiative and new ideas.

INDUSTRIAL--REVIEW OF THE TWIN CITIES

NEW BUICKS TO BE ON DISPLAY

New Group Of Cars In- clude Four Separate Lines For 1935

FLINT, Mich., Dec. 15.—(Special)—A public showing of new Buick cars for 1935 shortly will be held in dealer and distributor showrooms throughout the country, Harlow H. Curtice, president of the Buick Motor company, announced today.

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Mr. Curtice pointed out that the 1935 styling is a continuation of that of the Buick cars of this year. These cars were given widespread approval he said, both by the motoring public, who purchased this year nearly double the 1933 output and by the Buick dealer organization whose members enthusiastically approved the plan to continue the current styling.

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Railroad, Airway And Motor Coach Schedule

DELTA AIRWAYS

U. S. MAIL

EAST BOUND—WEST BOUND

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1:50 pm 1:55 pm 1:55 pm 1:25 pm

ILLINOIS CENTRAL LINE

EAST BOUND—WEST BOUND

Arrive Depart Arrive Depart

No. 202—Fast 10:00 am 10:05 am

7:40 pm 7:45 pm

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6:30 pm 6:35 pm

MISSOURI PACIFIC LINES

MAIN LINE—North

Arrive Depart Arrive Depart

No. 116 8:28 am 8:38 am

9:25 pm 9:30 pm

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No. 115 8:00 am 8:05 am

9:07 pm 9:15 pm

NATCHITOCHES—EL DORADO

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No. 116-841-848 8:38 am

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FARMERVILLE—Arrive Depart

No. 150 8:35 pm

9:10 pm

MISSOURI PACIFIC COACHES

Arrive Depart

St. Louis and L. Rock 2:25 pm 12:00 pm

To and from Natchez 11:15 am 4:30 pm

To and from Bastrop 8:30 am 12:00 pm

To and from Shreveport 12:00 pm 4:30 pm

INTERURBAN TRANSPORTATION CO.

NORTH BOUND—SOUTH BOUND

(From Alexandria) (To Alexandria)

9:35 am 7:30 am

2:35 pm 1:15 pm

7:10 pm 6:15 pm

4:30 pm

TRI-STATE MOTOR COACHES

EAST BOUND—WEST BOUND

Arrive Depart Arrive Depart

2:45 am 3:25 am

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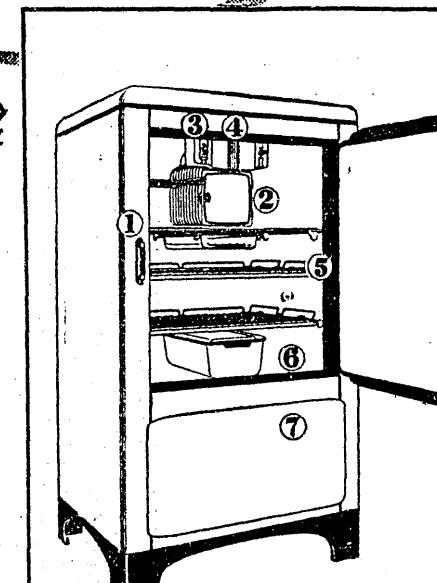
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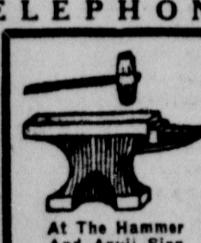
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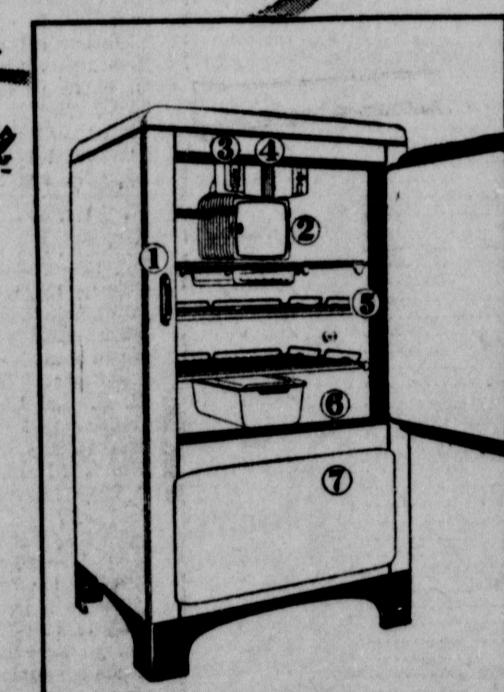
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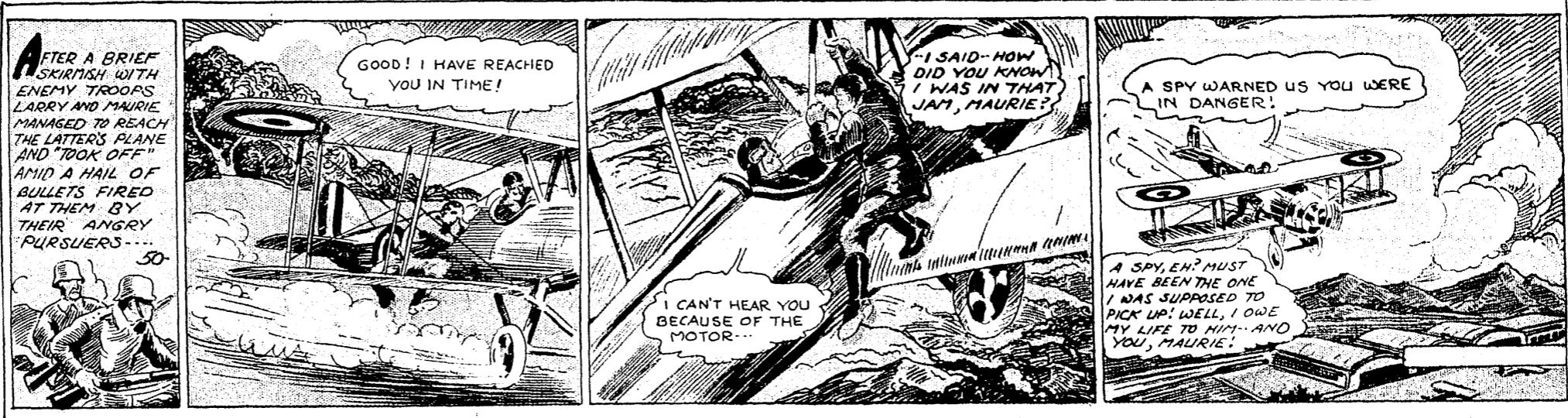
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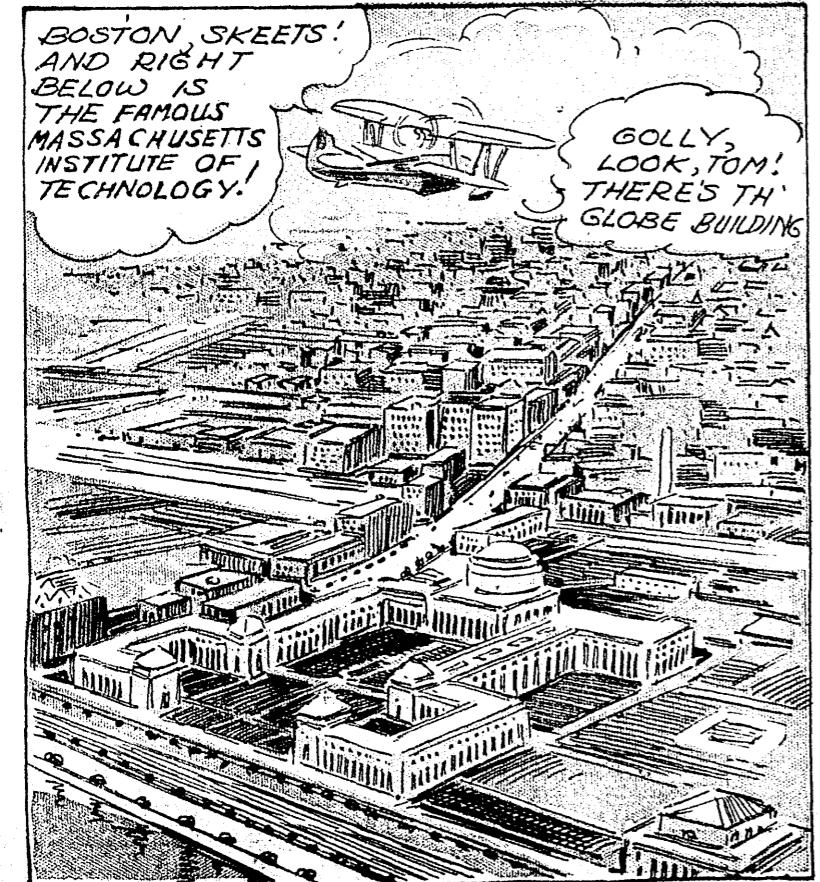
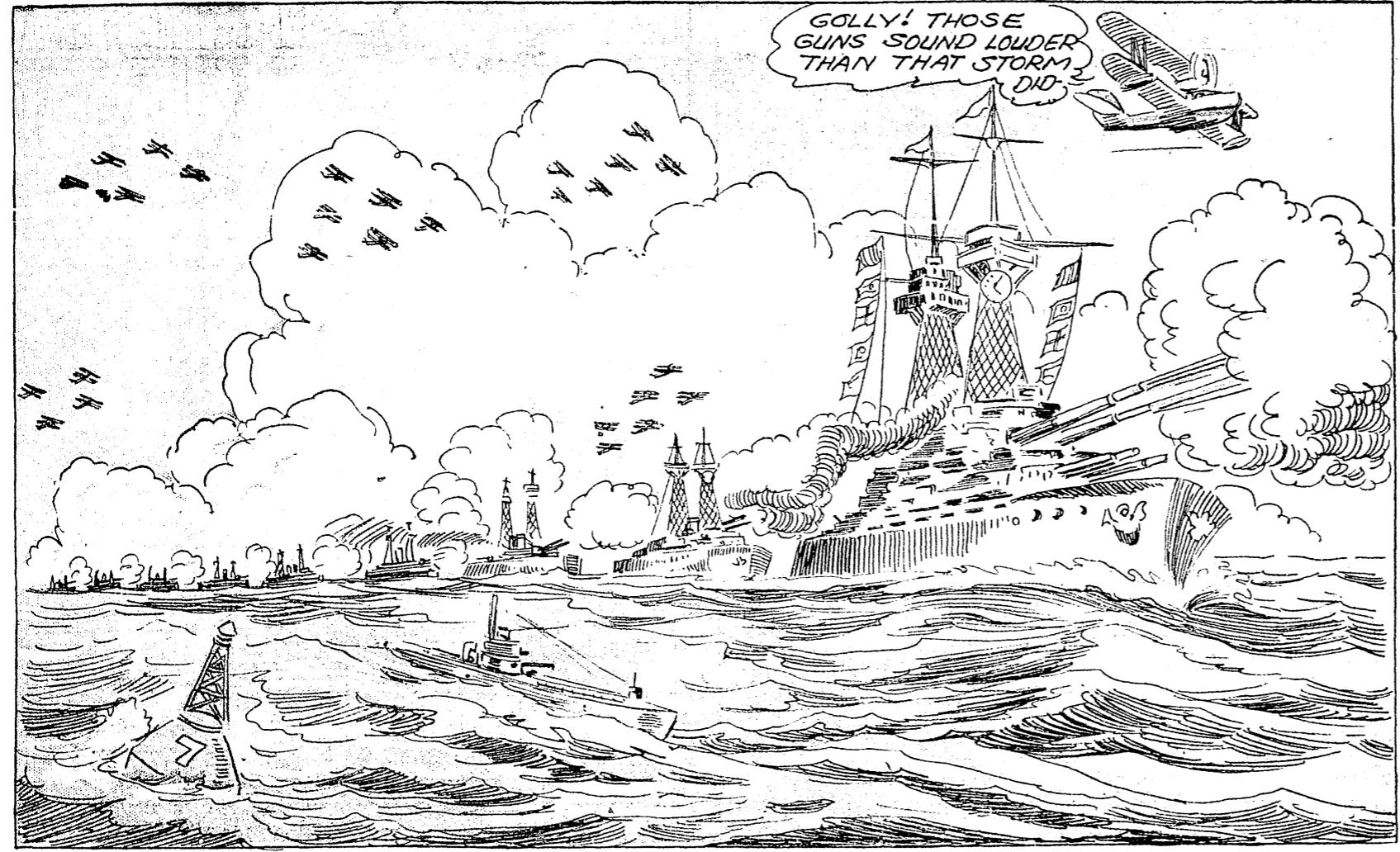
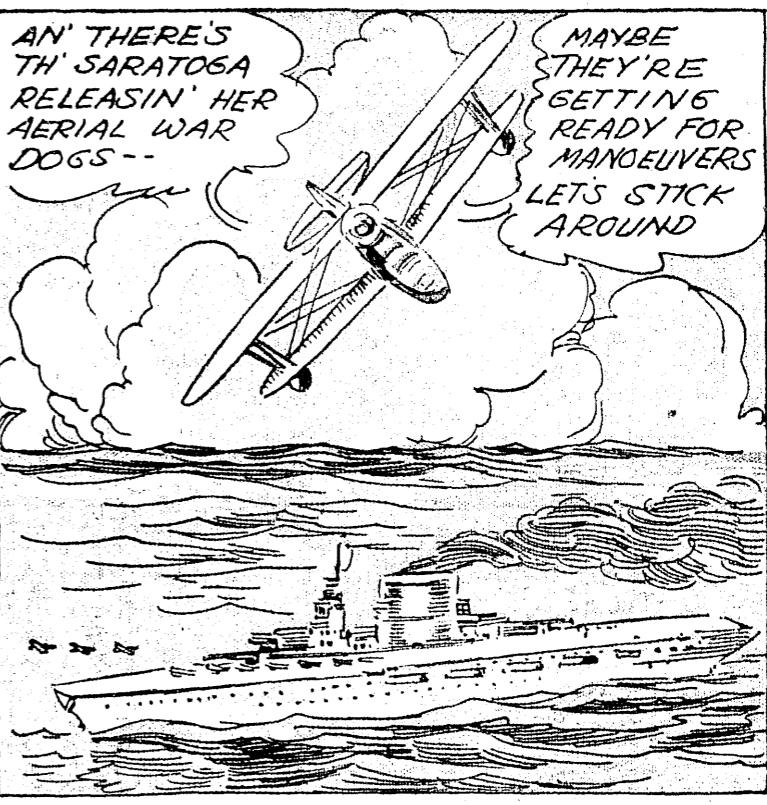
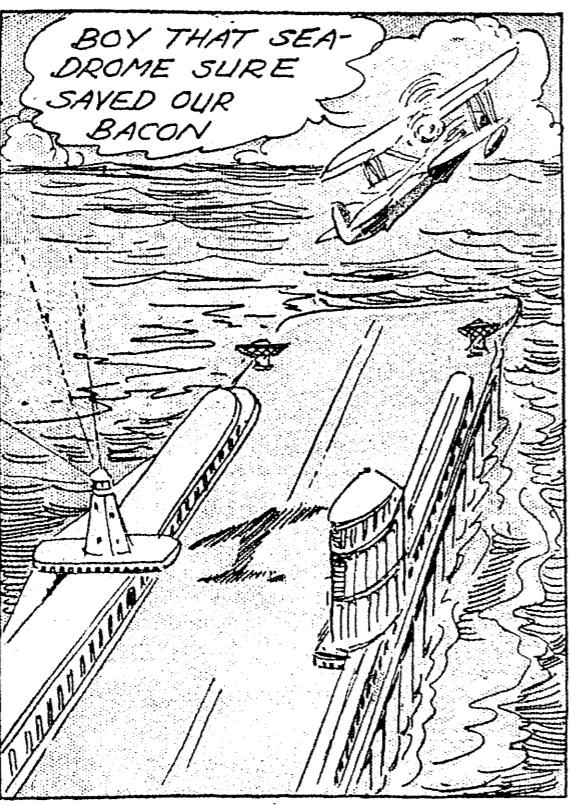


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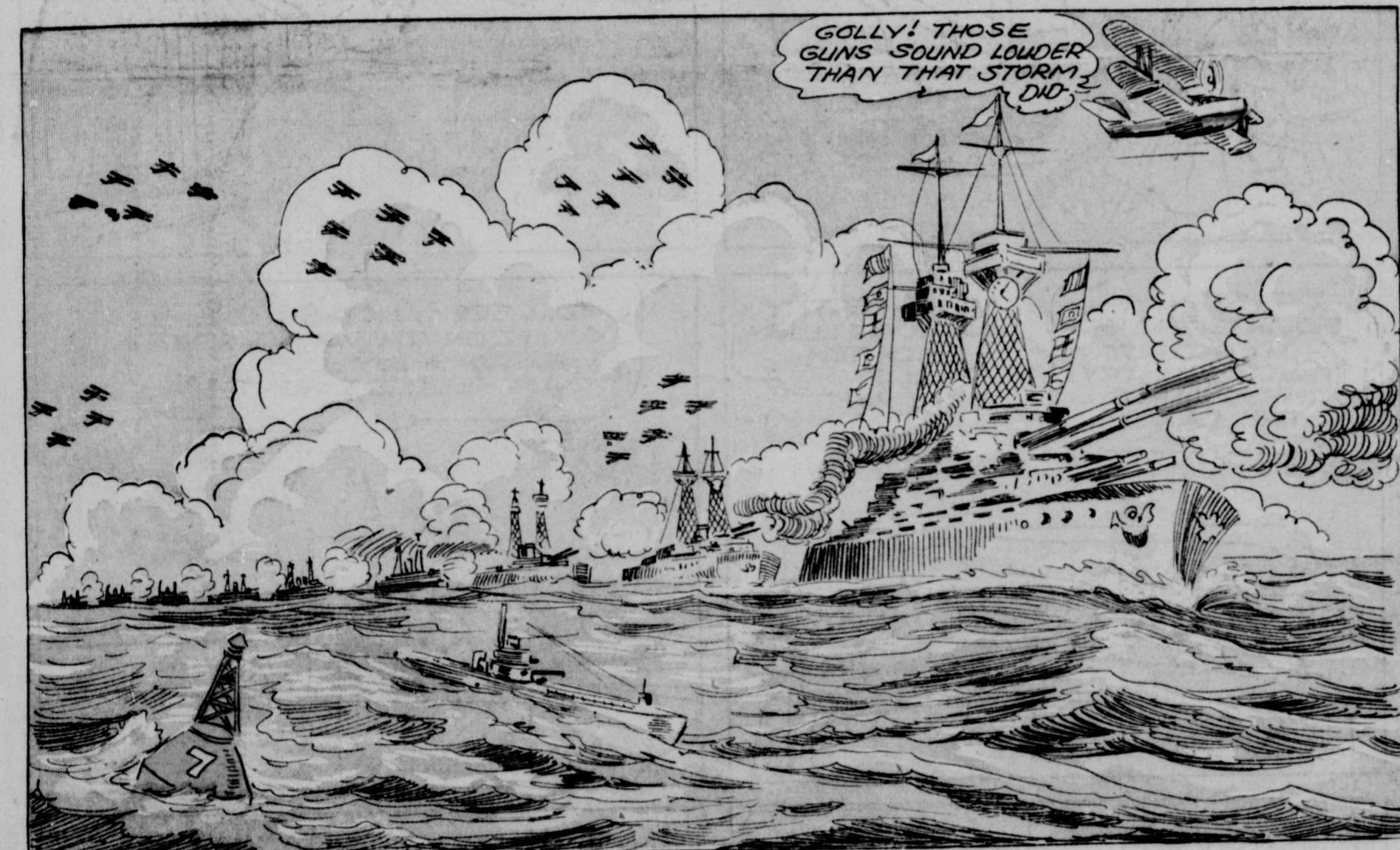
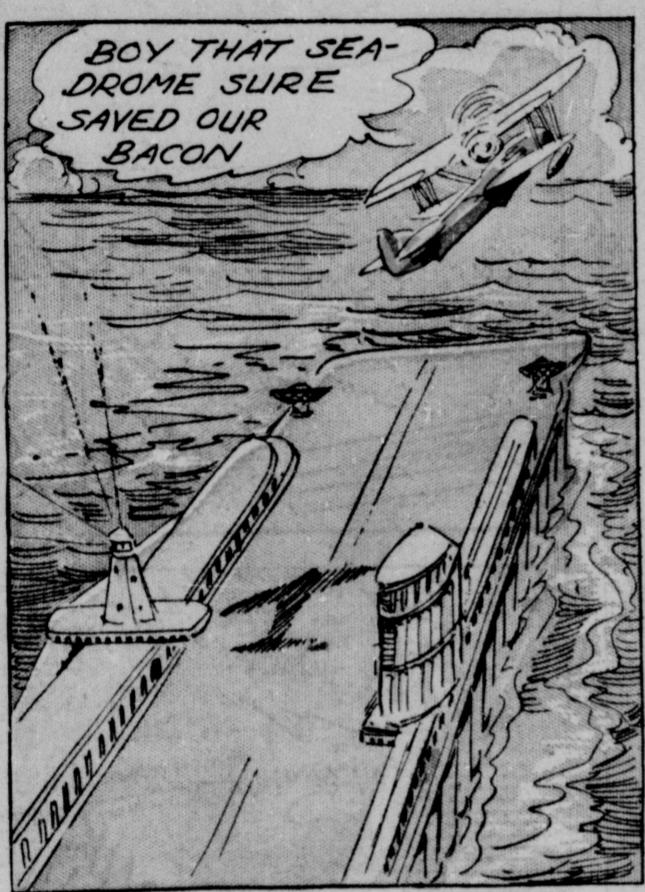
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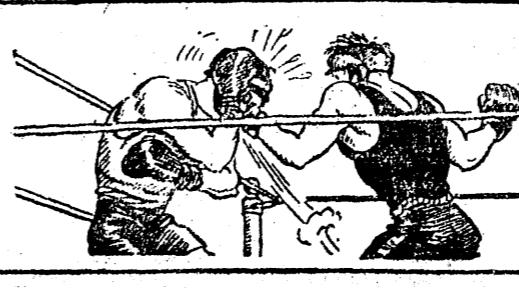
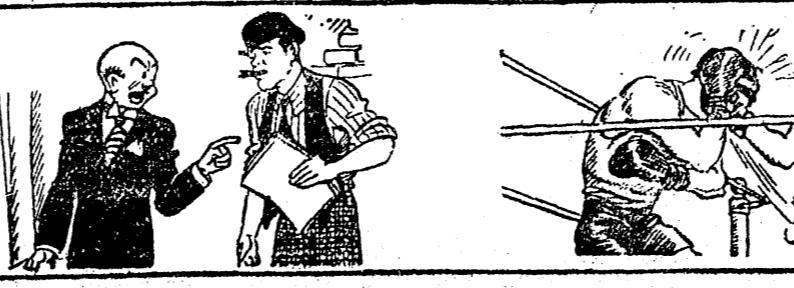
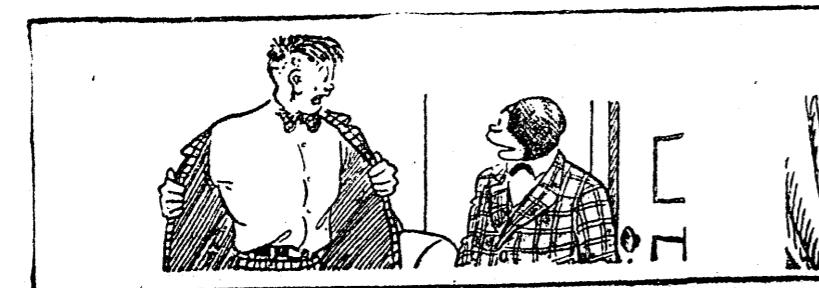
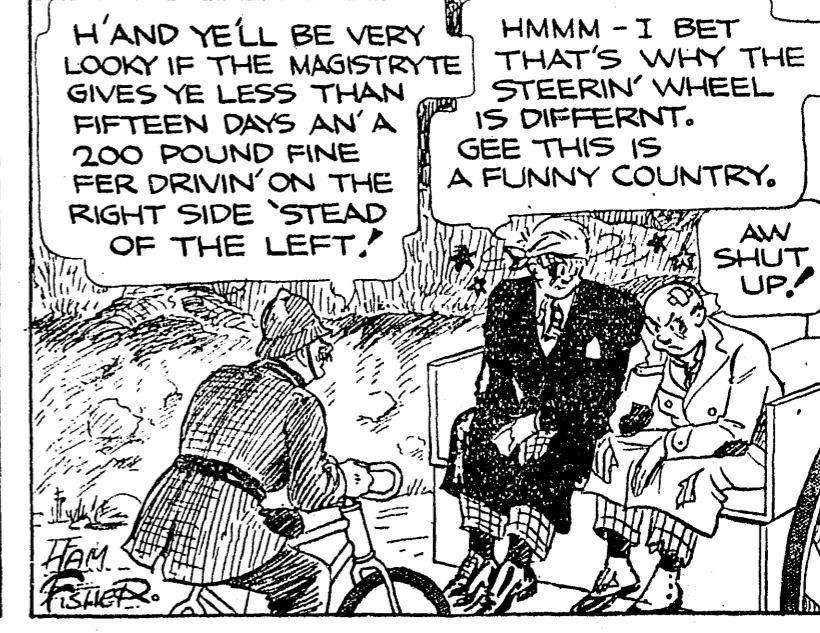
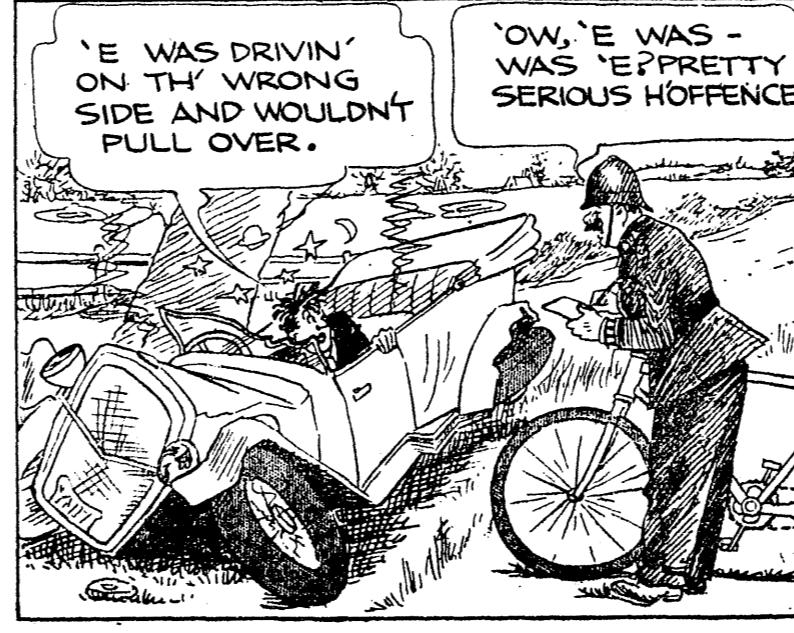
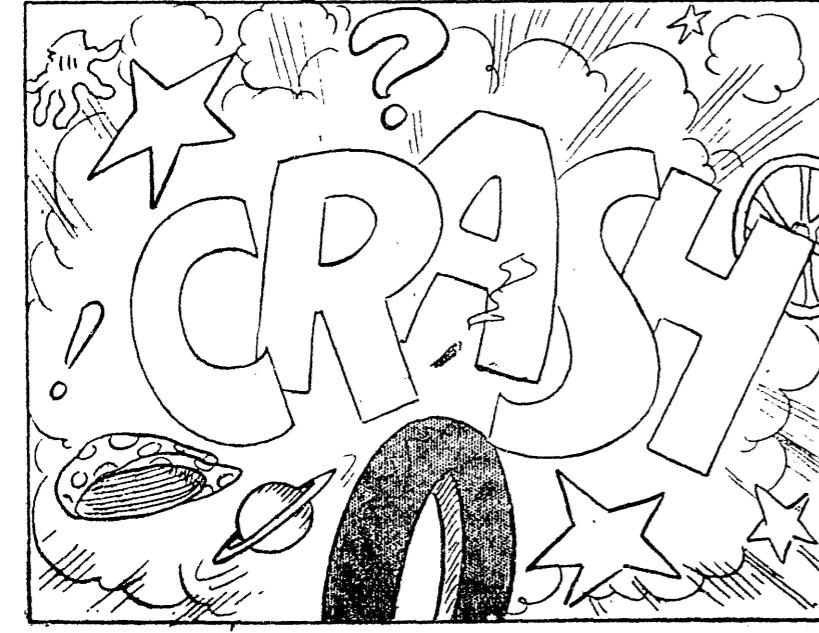
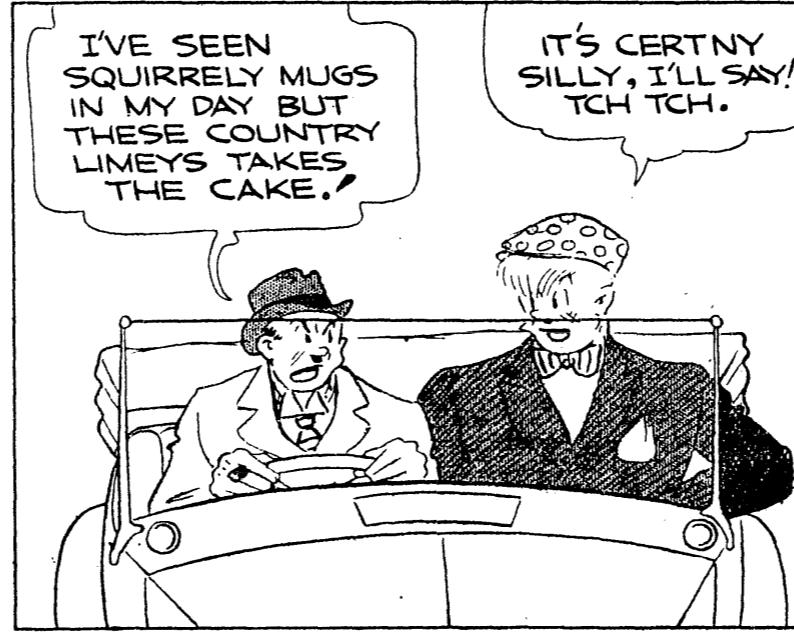
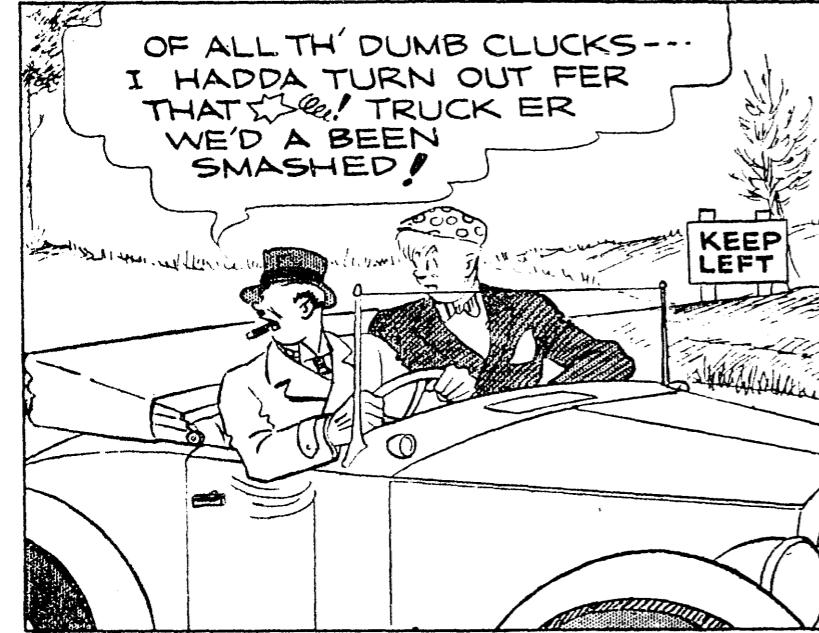
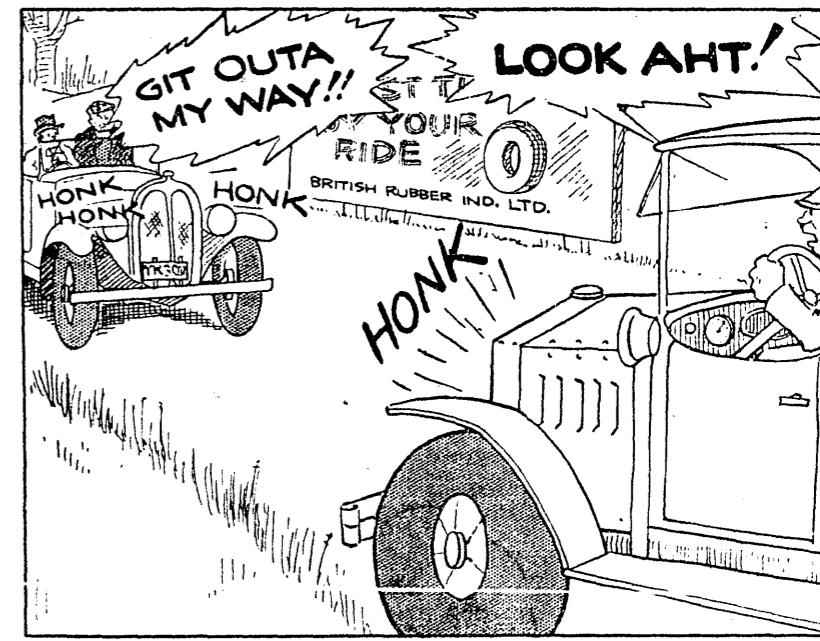
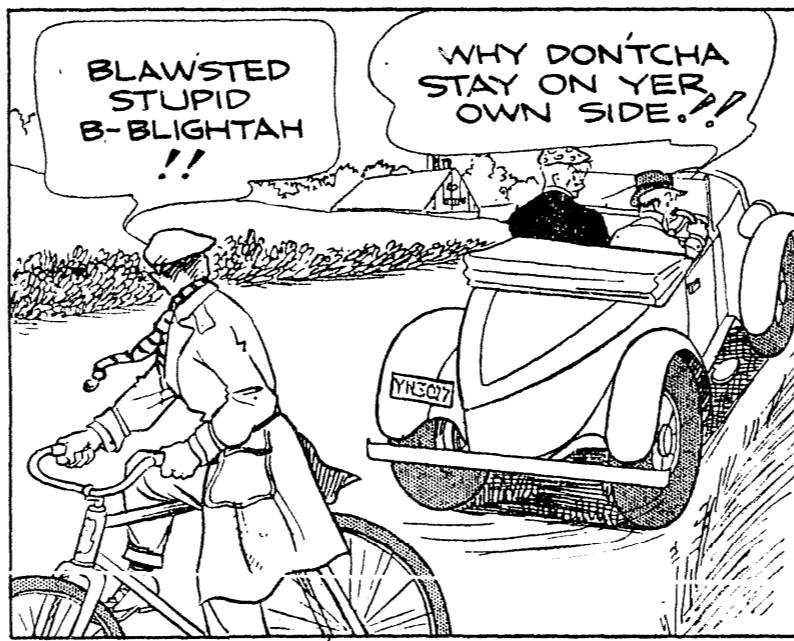
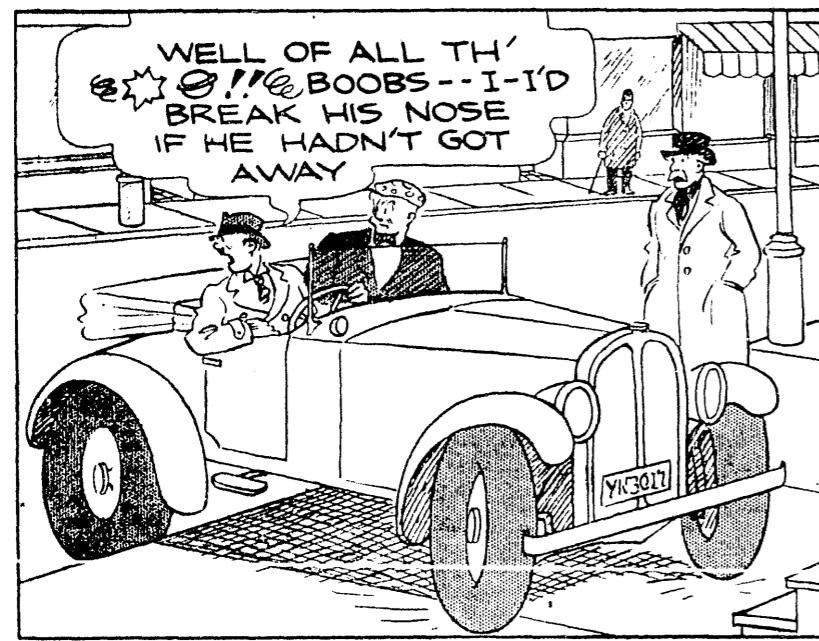
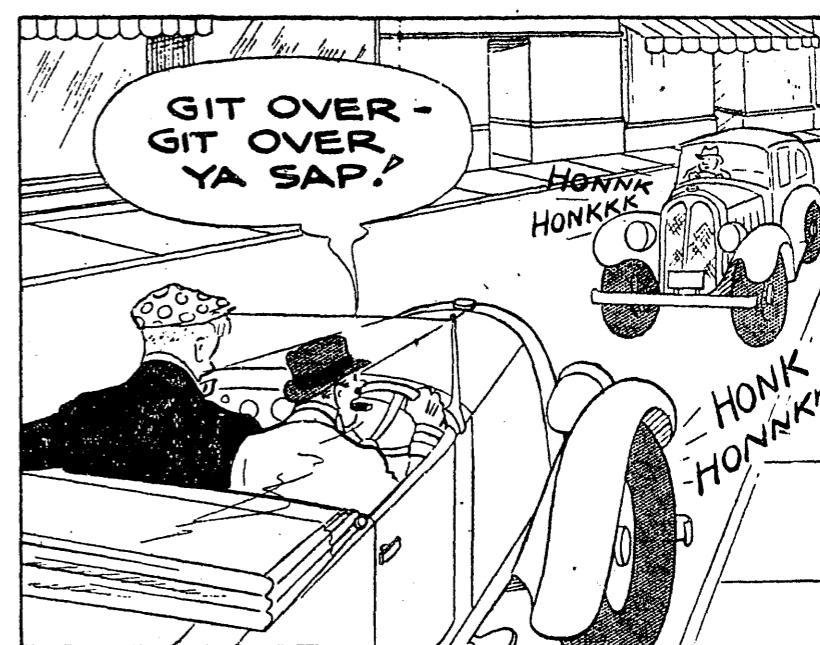
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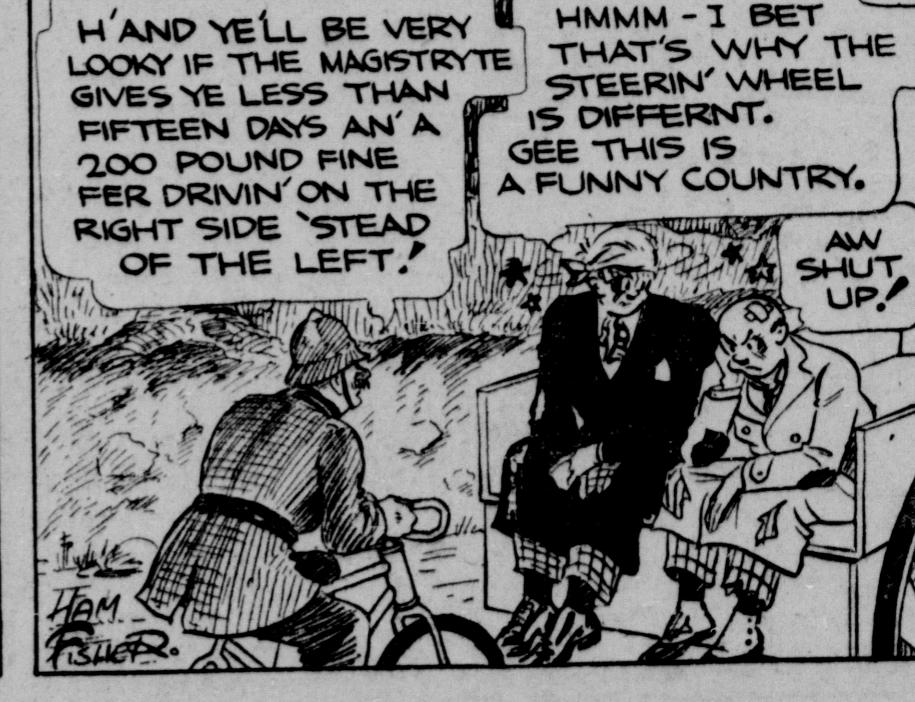
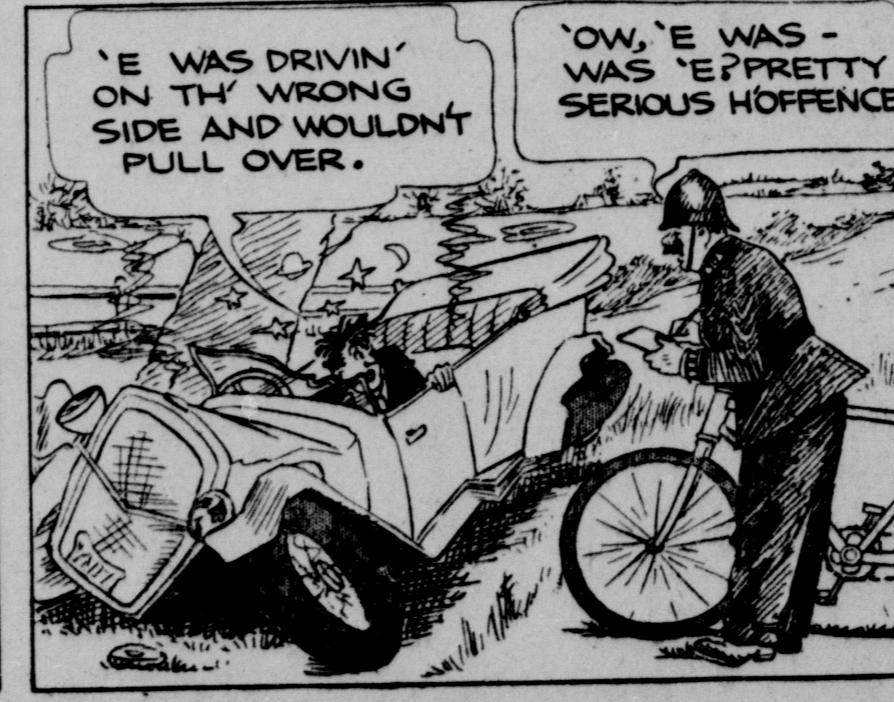
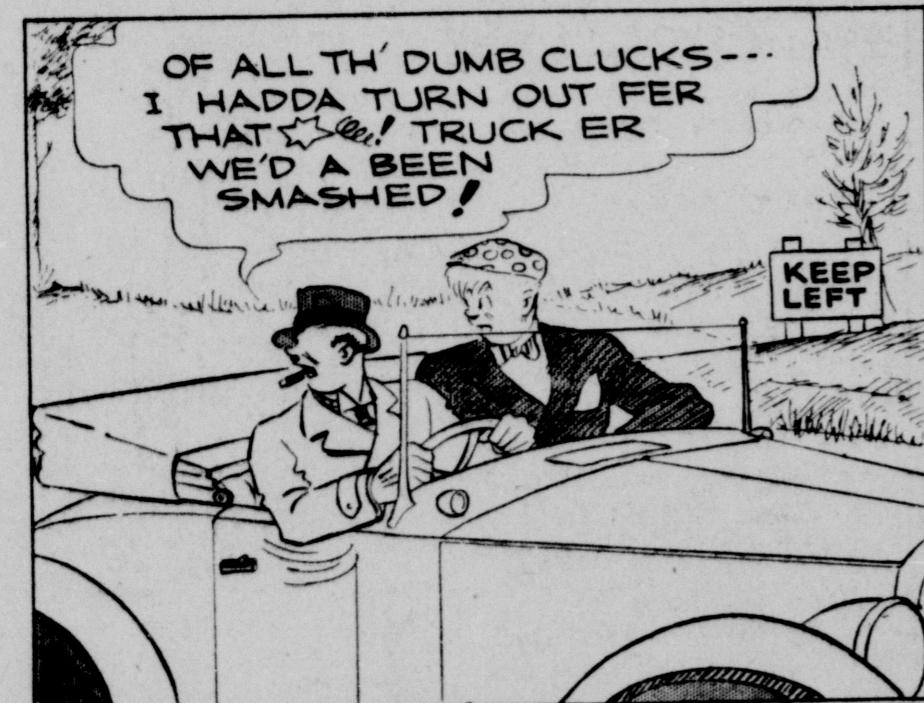
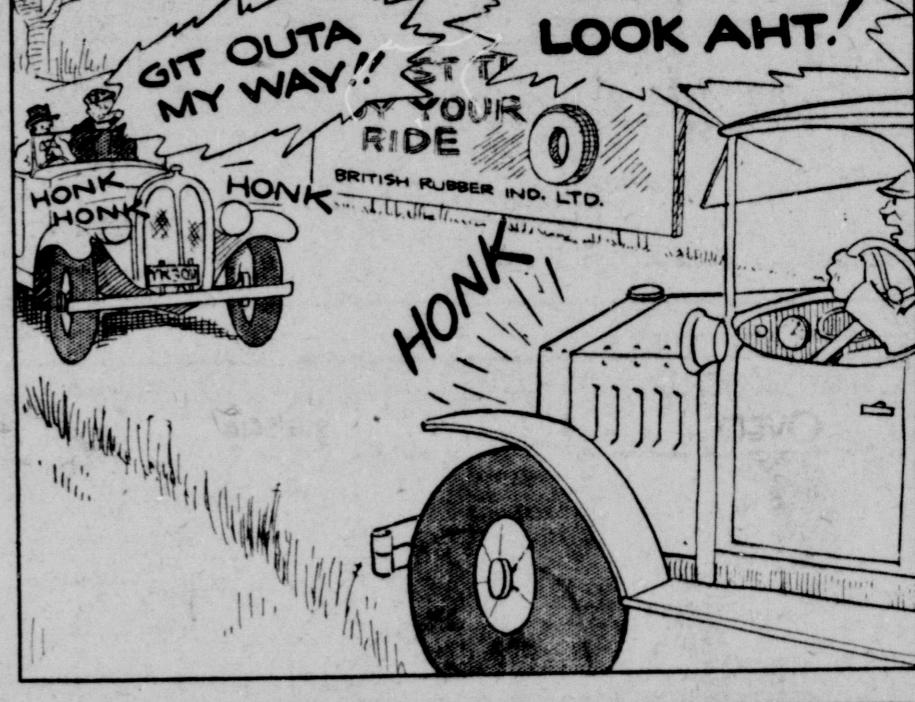
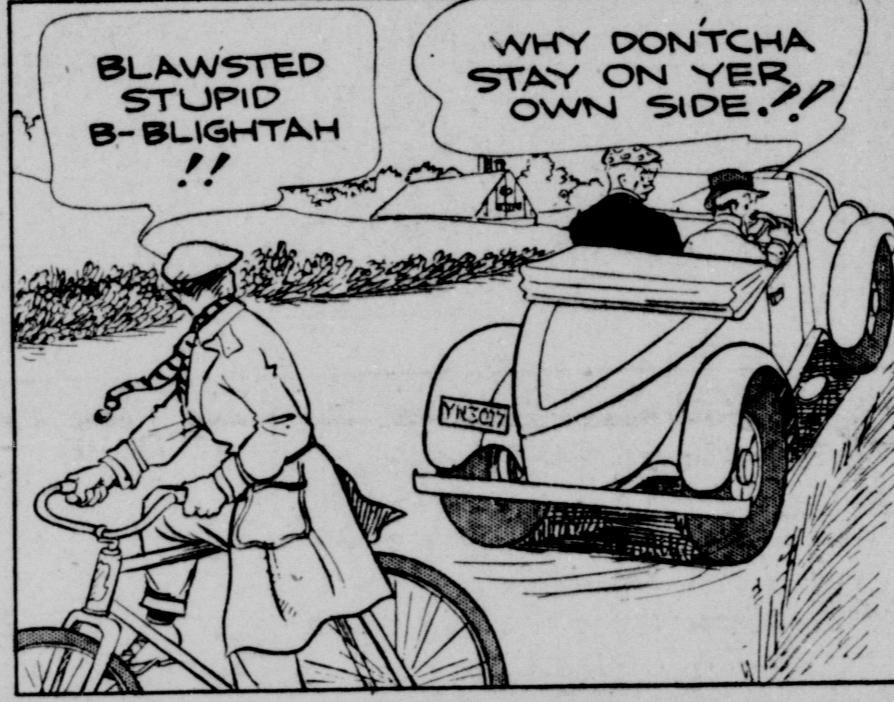
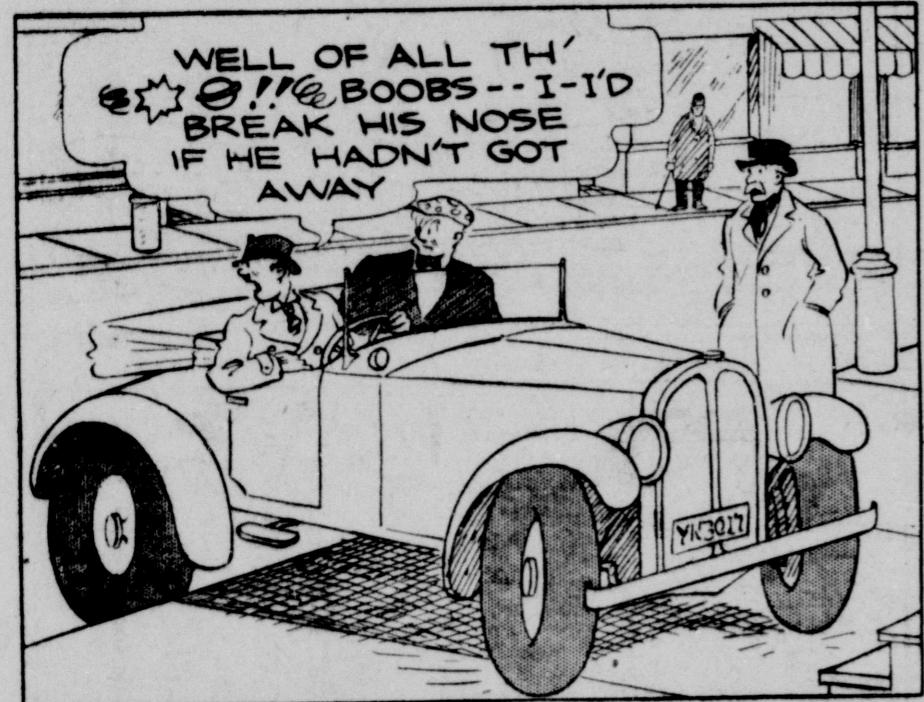
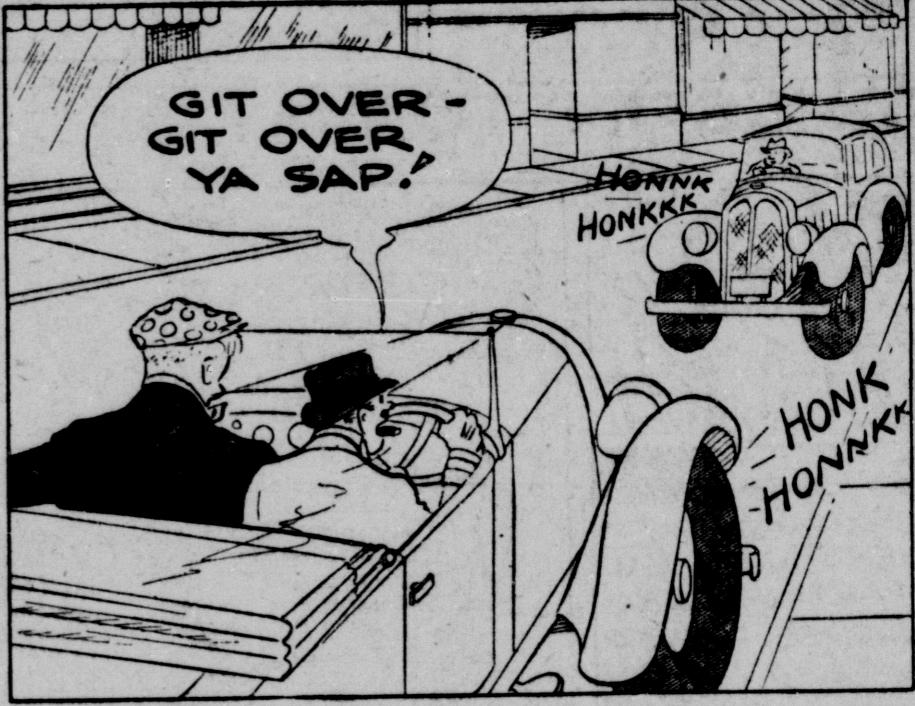
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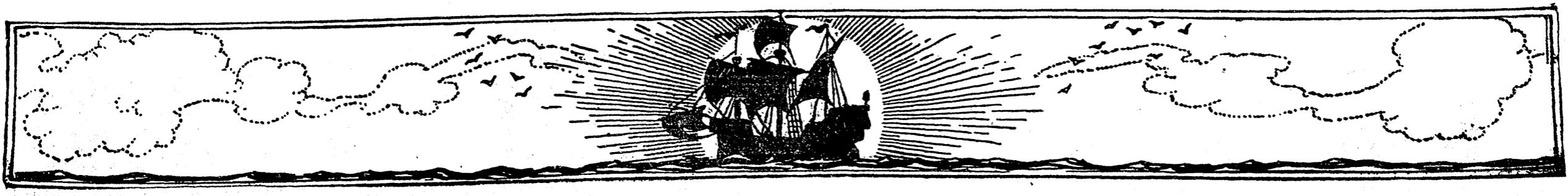
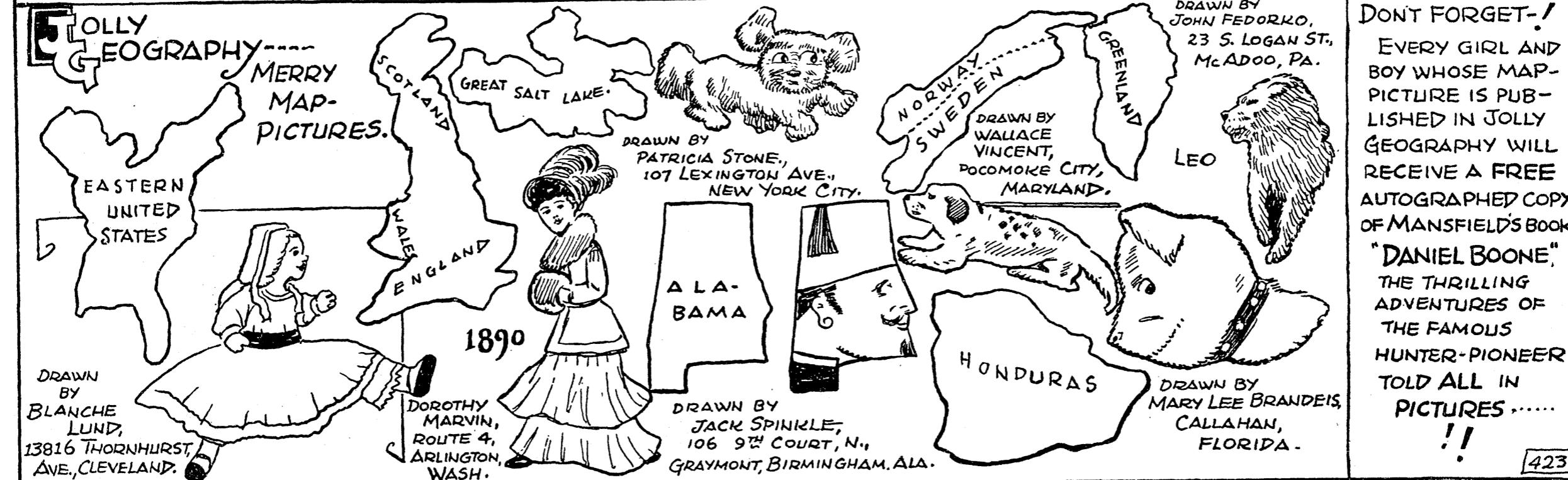
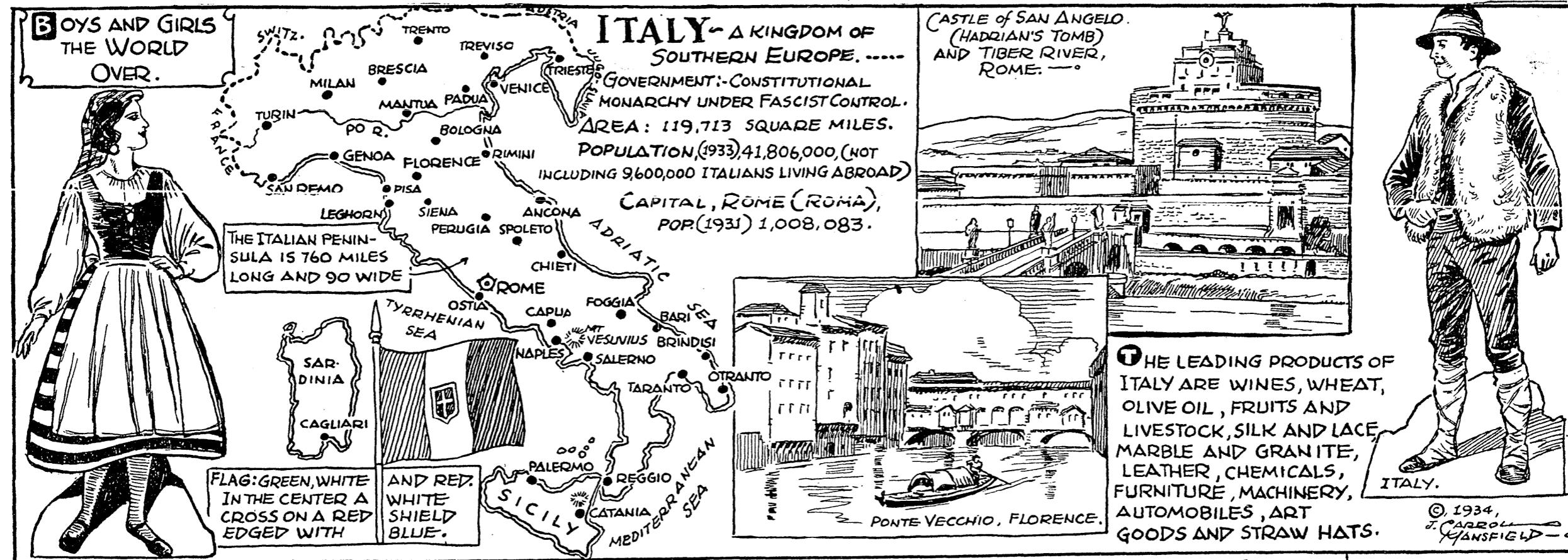
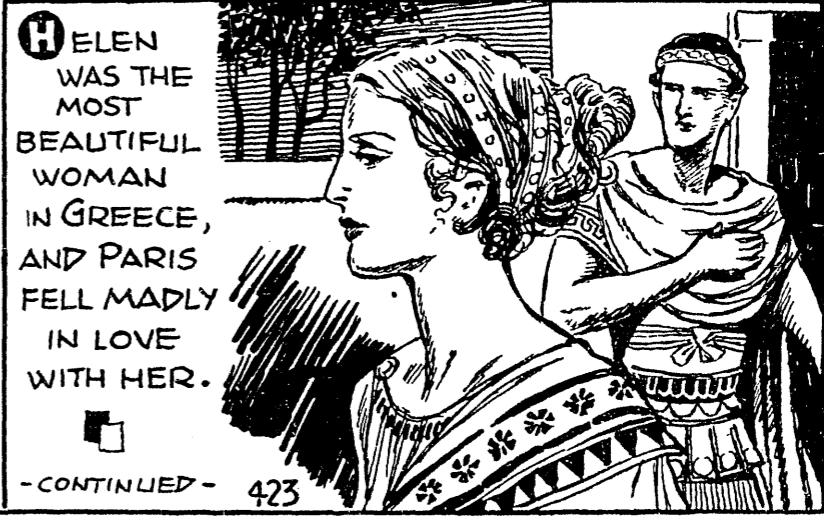
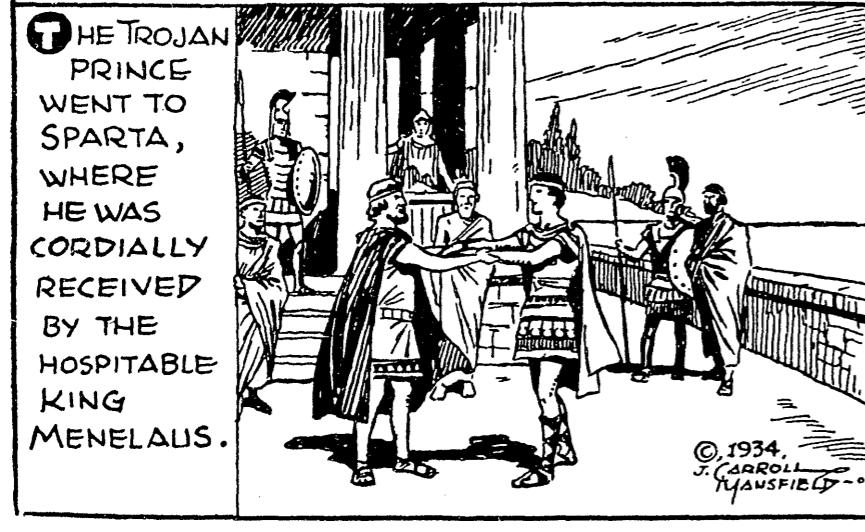
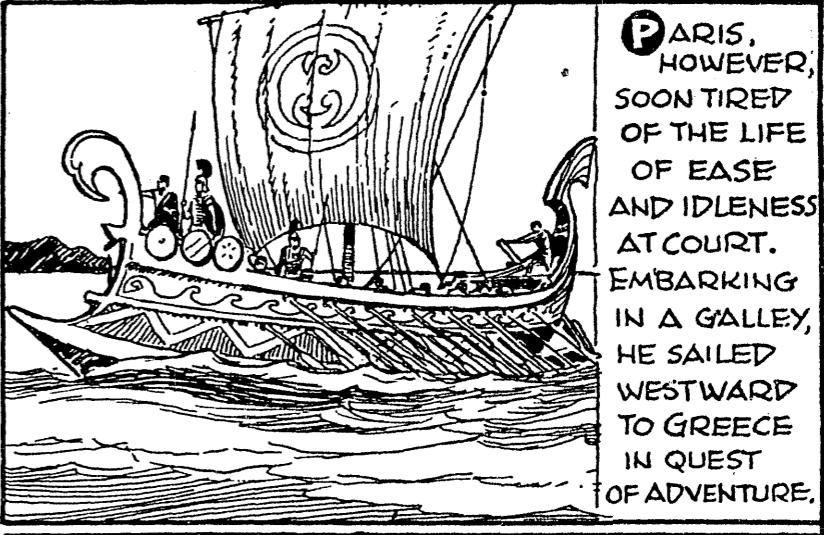
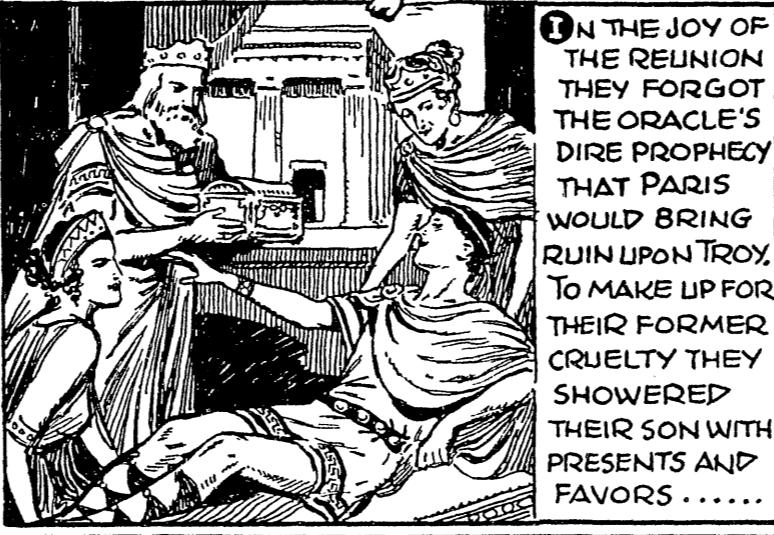
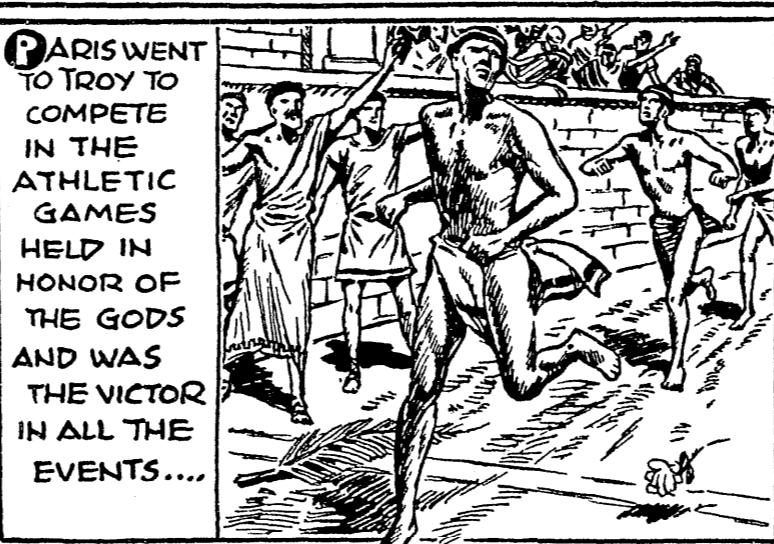
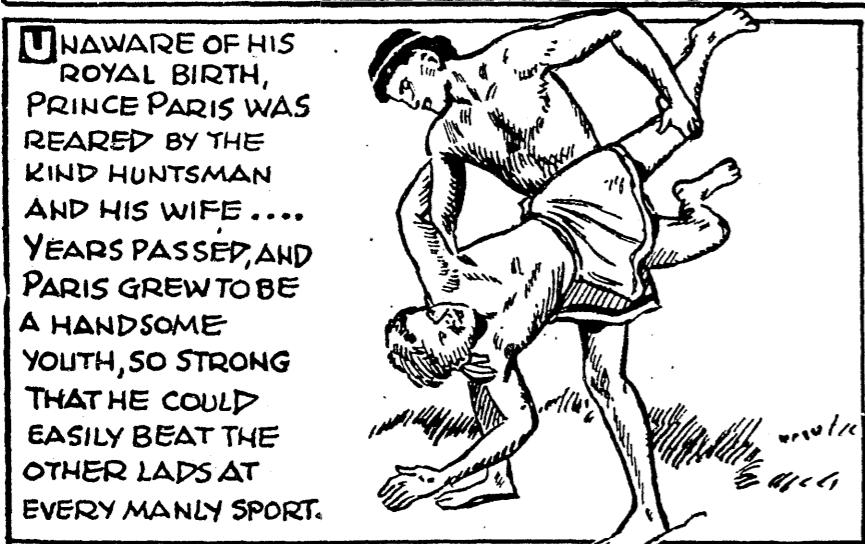
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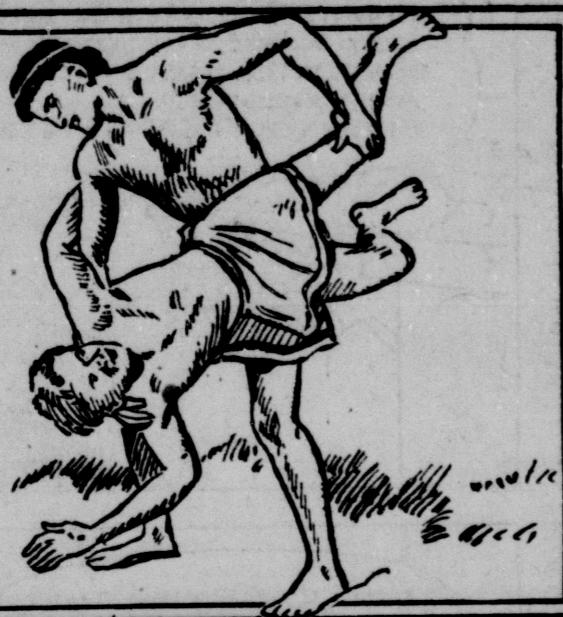


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PARIS WENT TO TROY TO COMPETE IN THE ATHLETIC GAMES HELD IN HONOR OF THE GODS AND WAS THE VICTOR IN ALL THE EVENTS....



HE WAS RECOGNIZED BY HIS SISTER, THE PRINCESS CASSANDRA, THROUGH HIS STARTLING FAMILY RESEMBLANCE. THE YOUTH'S IDENTITY WAS CONFIRMED BY THE HUNTSMAN'S STORY.....



KING PRIAM AND QUEEN HELENA WERE OVERJOYED TO HAVE THE SON THEY HAD THOUGHT DEAD RESTORED TO THEM, AND GAVE A GREAT BANQUET TO CELEBRATE THE PRINCE'S RETURN —



IN THE JOY OF THE REUNION THEY FORGOT THE ORACLE'S DIRE PROPHECY THAT PARIS WOULD BRING RUIN UPON TROY. TO MAKE UP FOR THEIR FORMER CRUELTY THEY SHOWERED THEIR SON WITH PRESENTS AND FAVORS.....



PARIS, HOWEVER, SOON TIRED OF THE LIFE OF EASE AND IDLENESS AT COURT. EMBARKING IN A GALLEY, HE SAILED WESTWARD TO GREECE IN QUEST OF ADVENTURE.



THE TROJAN PRINCE WENT TO SPARTA, WHERE HE WAS CORDIALLY RECEIVED BY THE HOSPITABLE KING MENELAUS.



MENELAUS WAS COMPELLED TO GO AWAY ON A LONG JOURNEY, BUT TOLD QUEEN HELEN HIS WIFE, TO ENTERTAIN THEIR GUEST IN HIS ABSENCE.



HELEN WAS THE MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN GREECE, AND PARIS FELL MADLY IN LOVE WITH HER.

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BOYS AND GIRLS THE WORLD OVER.

ITALY—A KINGDOM OF SOUTHERN EUROPE. GOVERNMENT: CONSTITUTIONAL MONARCHY UNDER FASCIST CONTROL. AREA: 119,713 SQUARE MILES. POPULATION (1933) 41,806,000, (NOT INCLUDING 9,600,000 ITALIANS LIVING ABROAD) CAPITAL, ROME (ROMA), POP (1931) 1,008,083.

CASTLE OF SAN ANGELO (HADRIAN'S TOMB) AND TIBER RIVER, ROME.

THE LEADING PRODUCTS OF ITALY ARE WINES, WHEAT, OLIVE OIL, FRUITS AND LIVESTOCK, SILK AND LACE, MARBLE AND GRANITE, LEATHER, CHEMICALS, FURNITURE, MACHINERY, AUTOMOBILES, ART GOODS AND STRAW HATS.

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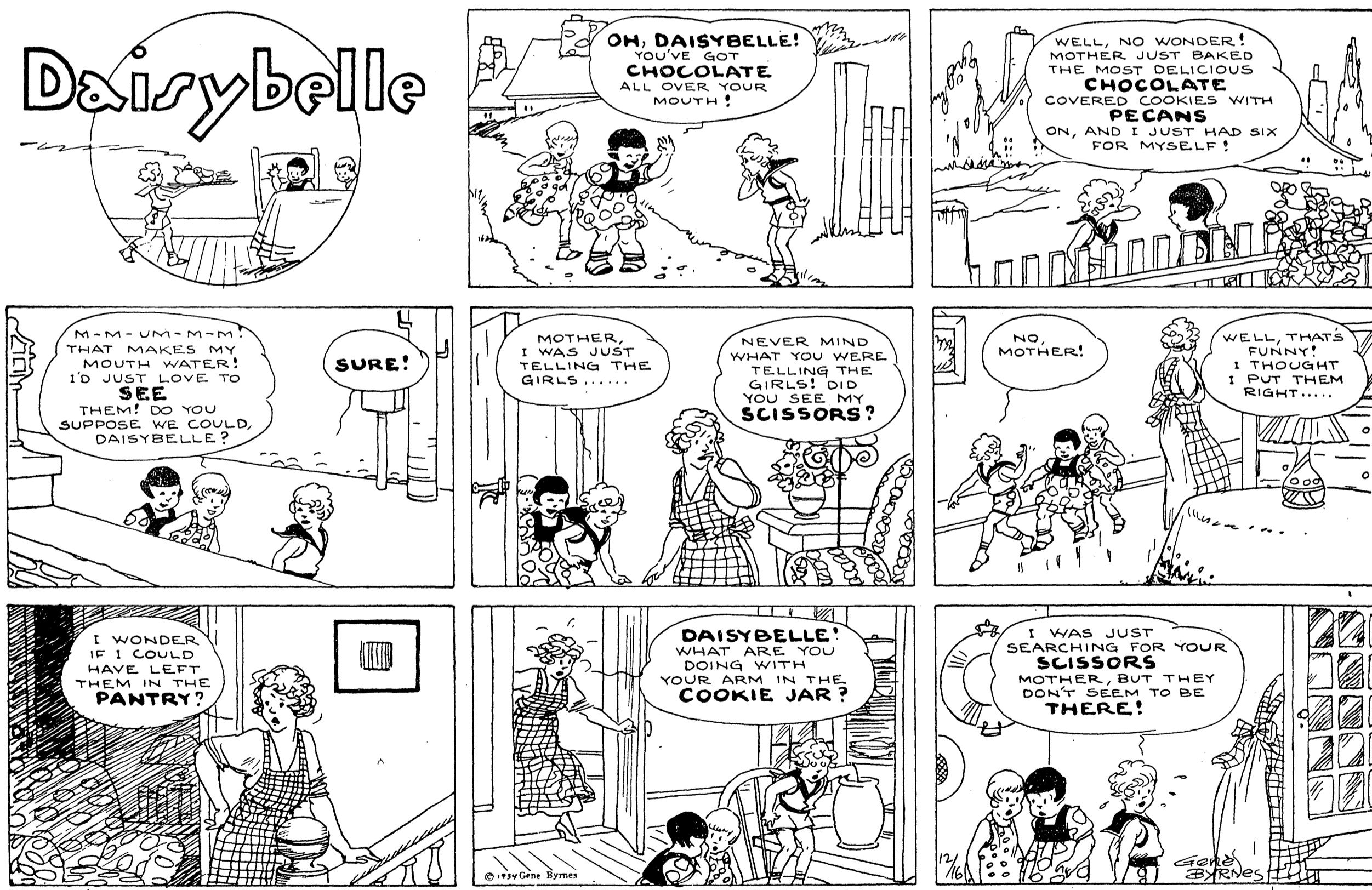
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REG'AR FELLERS

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YOU MEAN TO SAY YOU'RE NOT GOING TO CARRY IT IN?

I'M VERY SORRY, LADY, BUT WE DON'T WORK OVERTIME!

SCHWARTZ & BLACK

WHY CAN'T YOU DO IT, JIMMIE? YOU'RE A BIG BOY NOW! THE OTHER BOYS WILL HELP YOU AND BEHIDES I'LL GIVE YOU TEN CENTS

WILL YOU PAY ME IN ADVANCE, MOM?

YES, HERE'S A DIME RIGHT NOW - SO HURRY UP!

AWRIGHT, MOM! THANKS A LOT!

HEY FELLERS, I GOT A GOOD JOB FOR US! WE'RE GONNA CARRY IN THE COAL AN' AFTERWARDS YOU'LL GET SUMP'N' SWELL!

A CAKE!

WHAT KIND? COCONUT?

OH, BOY! A CAKE!

I'M CARRYIN' TWO PAILS AT ONCE SO I OUGHTA GET TWO HUNKS OF CAKE!

Y'DIDN'T SAY IF IT WAS BANANA CAKE OR IF IT HAS NUTS IN IT!

THIS IS THE LAST OF IT!

I WOULDN'T CARE IF IT WAS TEN TONS SO LONG AS I'M SURE OF THAT CAKE!

COME ON! NOW FOR THE CAKE - IT'S IN THE KITCHEN!

OH-H-H WILL I BE GLAD TO GET MY HANDS ON IT!

ALL I HOPE IS THAT IT'S CHOCOLIT!

SCRUBB RUB SOAP

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Daisybelle

OH, DAISYBELLE! YOU'VE GOT CHOCOLATE ALL OVER YOUR MOUTH!

WELL, NO WONDER! MOTHER JUST BAKED THE MOST DELICIOUS CHOCOLATE COVERED COOKIES WITH PECANS ON, AND I JUST HAD SIX FOR MYSELF!

M-M-UM-M-M. THAT MAKES MY MOUTH WATER! I'D JUST LOVE TO SEE THEM! DO YOU SUPPOSE WE COULD, DAISYBELLE?

SURE!

MOTHER, I WAS JUST TELLING THE GIRLS.....

NEVER MIND WHAT YOU WERE TELLING THE GIRLS! DID YOU SEE MY SCISSORS?

WELL, THAT'S FUNNY! I THOUGHT I PUT THEM RIGHT.....

I WONDER IF I COULD HAVE LEFT THEM IN THE PANTRY?

DAISYBELLE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH YOUR ARM IN THE COOKIE JAR?

I WAS JUST SEARCHING FOR YOUR SCISSORS MOTHER, BUT THEY DON'T SEEM TO BE THERE!

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We walked for nearly an hour over rough trails and frequently broke a path through dense underbrush and high grass. Then our desperate-looking guide motioned us to creep through some thick scrub and slide down into a gully, the approach to which was hidden by the trunk of a giant banyan tree.

Where we reached the bottom he pointed to an animal path and ordered us to follow it. Presently we arrived at a crude camp where two other men, equally fierce-looking, were lolloping on a fern-covered bank, smoking cigarettes. A third man was lying on a bed of branches, partially covered by a blanket.

One hasty glance about the hidden den convinced me there was little chance of escape, for the moment at least. I put my trust in my friends rescuing us. Meanwhile, at gun point, I was ordered to minister to the groaning man under the blanket. I found that he had been wounded in the abdomen by a gun shot and that there was little that could be

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Throughout the pestering afternoon and evening we sat about in the heat of the miserable jungle. Frequently I attended the wounded man. I kept wracking my brain, endeavoring to

Specially Posed Camera Portrait of Miss Muriel Holt, Fearless American Nurse; Her Own Account of Her Kidnapping Appears Exclusively on This Page. Left: Miss Holt Wearing a Coat Made From the Skin of a Leopard Shot in the Jungle by Her Scientist-Uncle.



Section of the Colombian Jungle. Underbrush in the Background Hides the Deep Gully Where the Bandits Made Their Lair.

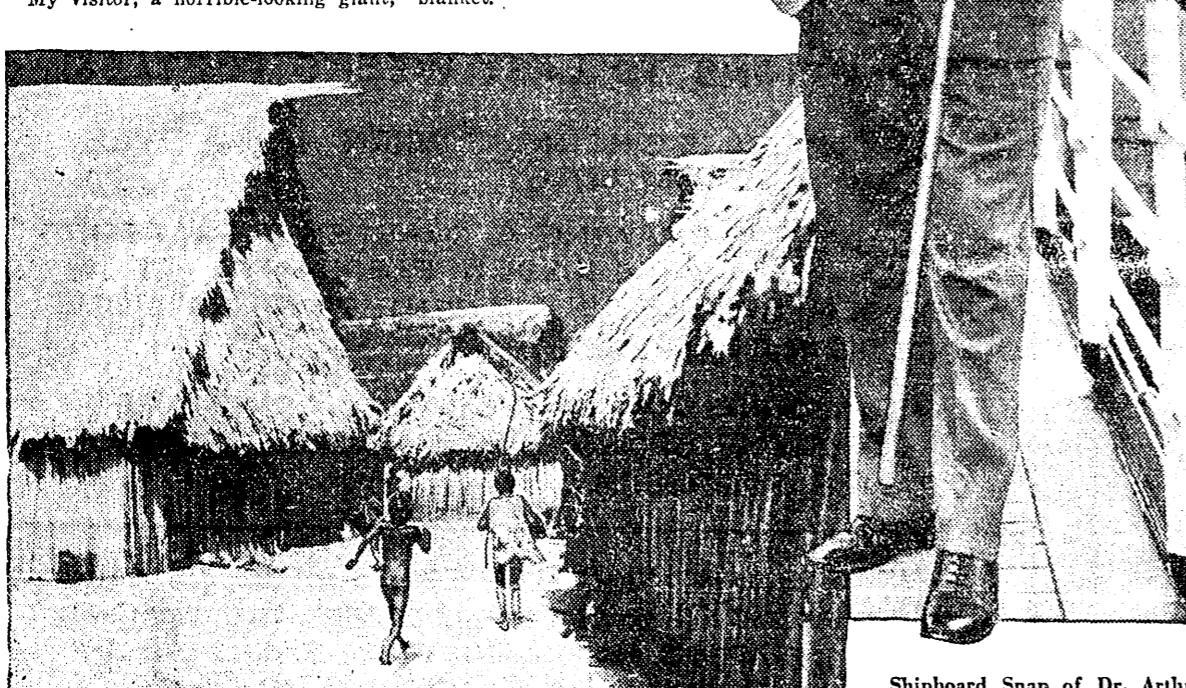
his rope. I could feel my hair rising on end. I was sure that a savage animal was about to spring at us.

The tensing became too much for one of the bandits. He whipped out his pistol and fired blindly. Immediately bedlam broke loose. A snarling beast came thrashing and crashing through the undergrowth—and the spell was broken. It was a small wild pig—dangerous, but far from a savage man-killer. He charged anyway.

This was just the break I had prayed for. I grabbed the burro's rope with one hand and the trembling Maria with the other. We fled, helter-skelter, for our lives. I suppose the men did not give chase. Perhaps they were too frightened.

We hid for an hour under a clump of underbrush. Then, as stealthily as possible, we made our way to the gully entrance and climbed out. And providence favored us. At the top, scarcely 100 yards away, I recognized my uncle and party of searchers beating the underbrush.

We returned immediately to camp and the next day set out for the coast. That was the end of my adventure—and I had come safely through, unharmed and little the worse for it. We never heard whether or not the bandits were captured. But that story, after all, belongs solely to the Colombian police officials.



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Interesting Native Street Scene in the Back-Country Village Where the Torrance Expedition Pitched Camp. Braves From This Settlement Were Recruited by the Searching Party Which Set Out to Find the Stolen Beauty.

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Remarkable Photo of a Group of Native South American Women Paddling a Dugout on the Colorado River, Near the Spot Where Miss Holt Was Kidnapped.

work out a plan for escape, but none seemed feasible. Then, at night-fall, fresh trouble arose. The mosquitoes became a hideous torture.

Millions of the pests, it seemed to me, descended on the camp. They swarmed around my patient until he began to scream in agony. Fearing his cries would bring searching parties, the other men gagged him with a shirt belted about his mouth. The black jungle night encircled us, and I could not see my hand before my face.

The bandits were afraid to light a fire. They gave us no food, but this I believe they forgot. They repeatedly assured me that they did not intend to harm us. They kept their promise scrupulously.

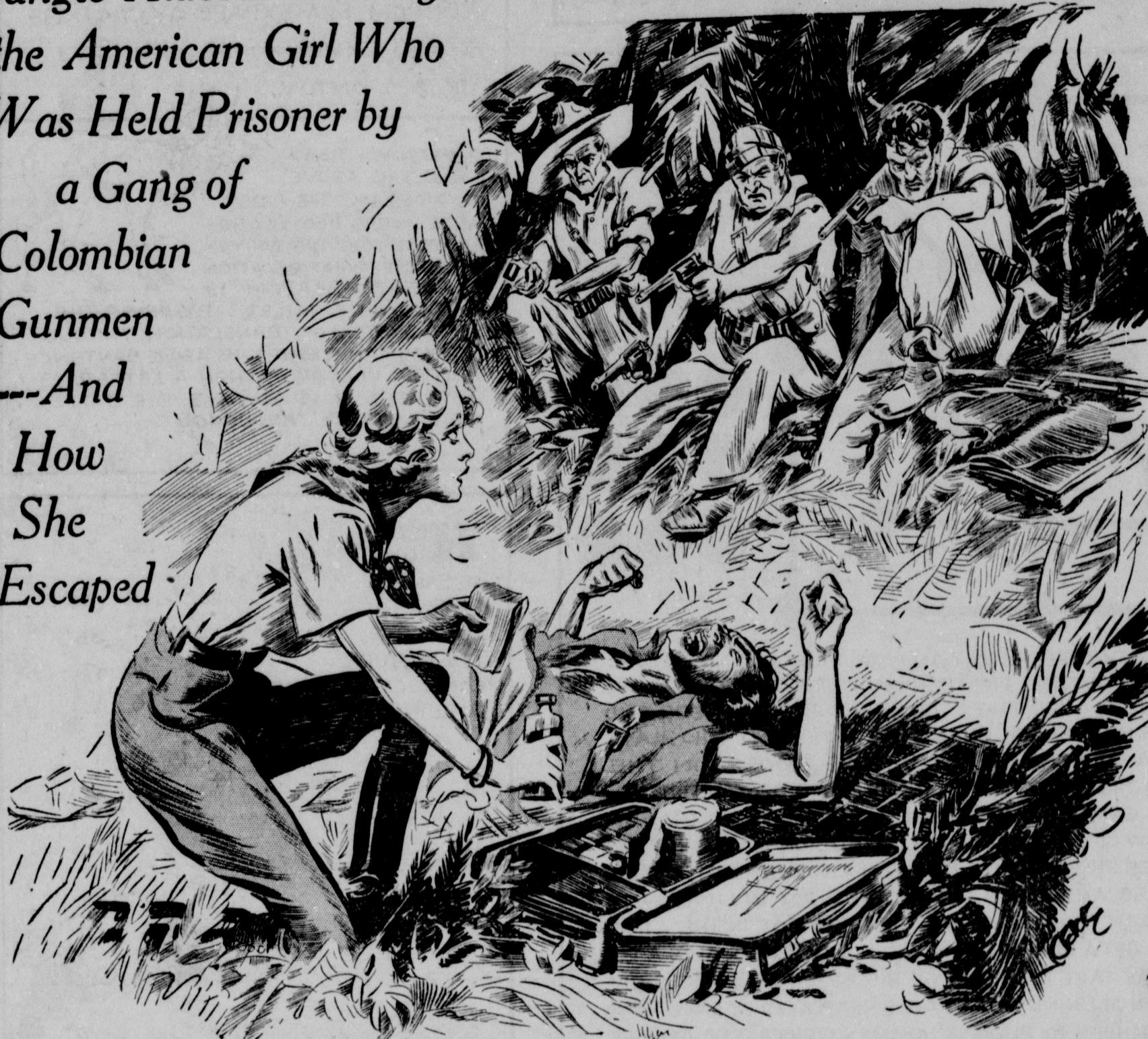
As the night wore on the bandits held frequent conferences. They could not decide whether to abandon the dying man and press their own flight or risk capture by awaiting his death. I was kneeling by the patient, doing my best to relieve his pain, but I could tell that the end was near.

I realized that it was a superstitious fear that held the men together, and in this, I felt, might lie our chance of escape. Once, when I left the wounded man, on a pretext of going to the medicine chest, I snipped the rope which was still tied to Maria's wrists. Then I waited. There was nothing else to do.

His companions, aroused, sprang to his side. Then they heard the peculiar snuffling sound. Their faces whitened and they went frantic with fear. The sounds came closer. The burro let out a frightened squeal and began jerking at

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But he quickly identified himself. I pointed out the chest to him and he loaded it upon a burro. Then, to my horror, he flourished his revolver and ordered me and the maid to accompany him. He growled fiercely that a comrade was ill at their distant camp in the jungle.

Of course I protested and urged him to wait for one of the doctors. He struck my arm with his revolver and ordered me to march or be killed instantly. He cursed me with vile invectives and lurched forward threateningly. I grabbed my cape and was quick to get ahead of him. He tied the maid's hands together and made her follow.

We walked for nearly an hour over rough trails and frequently broke a path through dense underbrush and high grass. Then our desperate-looking guide motioned us to creep through some thick scrub and slide down into a gully, the approach to which was hidden by the trunk of a giant banyan tree.

When we reached the bottom he pointed to an animal path and ordered us to follow it. Presently we arrived at a crude camp where two other men, equally fierce-looking, were lolling on a fern-covered bank, smoking cigarettes. A third man was lying on a bed of branches, partially covered by a blanket.

He was threatening me with his

weapon and, in a rasping, guttural voice, warning me not to scream. But his words were unnecessary. I realized there was no one within earshot, even had I dared to cry out.

My visitor, a horrible-looking giant,

done for him.

I prepared a morphine injection to dull his pain, dressed his wound and made him as comfortable as possible. Then, using my best Spanish, I explained to my captors that their companion would die. I urged them to release me, but they refused in no uncertain terms.

Throughout the blistering afternoon and evening we sat about in the heat of the miserable jungle. Frequently I attended the wounded man. I kept wracking my brain, endeavoring to

Specially Posed Camera - Portrait of Miss Muriel Holt, Fearless American Nurse; Her Own Account of Her Kidnapping Appears Exclusively on This Page. Left: Miss Holt Wearing a Coat Made From the Skin of a Leopard Shot in the Jungle by Her Scientist-Uncle.



Section of the Colombian Jungle. Underbrush in the Background Hides the Deep Gully Where the Bandits Made Their Lair.

The bandit who had kidnapped us finally told me that they had decided to take us for another day's march, since it would be dangerous for them if we were found nearby. My spirits dropped then and I determined to make a break for liberty at the first opportunity.

But it was too dark and quite impossible to find any trail out of the jungle before daybreak. I almost wished death would take the wounded man, for I thought that in the excitement perhaps we could steal off and hide until morning. But nothing happened. It was a night which I shall never forget. Minutes seemed like hours. I was covered with welts of mosquito bites.

Finally, when it seemed that my nerves would no longer bear up under the strain, streaks of dawn pierced the jungle darkness and I could see a little. A strange, eerie silence had fallen over the camp. The dying man's moans had nearly ceased. The others were dozing.

A slight movement attracted my attention to the wounded man. He seemed tense and excited. In his nearly unconscious condition he was amazingly alert, as though he were listening intently. At that moment I heard a slow, cautious, snuffling sound, like a dragging, restrained growl, just outside our little circle. Then more snuffling—and horribly close. The wounded man slowly, painfully, eased himself up on one elbow. He tried to cry out but his voice was muffled with the gag.

His companions, aroused, sprang to his side. Then they heard the peculiar snuffling sound. Their faces whitened and they went frantic with fear. The sounds came closer. The burro let out a frightened squeal and began jerking at

his rope. I could feel my hair rising on end. I was sure that a savage animal was about to spring at us.

The tenseness became too much for one of the bandits. He whipped out his pistol and fired blindly. Immediately bedlam broke loose. A snarling beast came thrashing and crashing through the undergrowth—and the spell was broken. It was a small wild pig—dangerous, but far from a savage man-killer. He charged anyway.

This was just the break I had prayed for. I grabbed the burro's rope with one hand and the trembling Maria with the other. We fled, helter-skelter, for our lives. I suppose the men did not give chase. Perhaps they were too frightened.

We hid for an hour under a clump of underbrush. Then, as stealthily as possible, we made our way to the gully entrance and climbed out. And providence favored us. At the top, scarcely 100 yards away, I recognized my uncle and a party of searchers beating the underbrush.

We returned immediately to camp and the next day set out for the coast. That was the end of my adventure—and I had come safely through, unharmed and little the worse for it. We never heard whether or not the bandits were captured. But that story, after all, belongs solely to the Colombian police officials.



Shipboard Snap of Dr. Arthur Torrance, World-Famous Jungle Scientist, Taken Upon His Recent Return From South America.

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DICK TRACY

by
CHESTER CLOUD

SO THE AIRPLANE WHICH IS TO
DISTRIBUTE THE NITRO-GLYCERINE TO OUR
MEN IN THE DIFFERENT CITIES GOT OFF OKAY
WITH ITS CARGO, EH?

RIGHT.

AND THE TWO DETECTIVES
WHO WERE SPYING ON OLAF AS
HE WAS SMUGGLING THE LAST FEW
GALLONS OF "SOUP" FROM THE
GLYCERINE PLANT ARE OUTSIDE.
WE GOT THE DROP ON THEM
AND THEY WERE CAPTURED.

GOOD!
BRING
THEM IN.

WELL, MR. TRACY!
THIS IS INDEED A
SURPRISE! I NEVER SUSPECTED
YOU WERE IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE!
YOU NO DOUBT GET QUITE A
THRILL OUT OF MEETING ME -
THE ONE AND ONLY
BORIS ARSON?

YES, AND I HAD
PLANNED THAT OUR
MEETING WOULD BE
EVEN MORE THRILLING -
BUT THEN YOU SEE
I AM AT A SLIGHT
DISADVANTAGE!

YOU REALIZE
OF COURSE THAT
WITHIN 72 HOURS
THE MOST
GIGANTIC SAFE-
CRACKING JOB
IN HISTORY
WILL HAVE BEEN
CONSUMMATED!

HUGE MONEY VAULTS.
IN SIX MAJOR CITIES ARE
TO BE BLOWN UP
SIMULTANEOUSLY BY
NITRO-GLYCERINE. I, MYSELF,
SHALL THROW THE MASTER
SWITCH THAT WILL SET
OFF THE BLASTS.

ARSON,
YOU'RE A
MAD MAN.
YOU CAN'T
POSSIBLY
SUCCEED!

WHO IS HE?
WHAT IS THE
MATTER WITH
HIM?

HIS NAME'S
PATTON! HE'S IN A
SEMI-CONSCIOUS
STUPOR - GOT CLOUTED
ON THE HEAD DURING
THE CAPTURE.

WHAT
SHALL WE
DO WITH THEM,
BORIS?

EXECUTE THEM
IMMEDIATELY!
TAKE THEM DOWN
INTO THE ROOM NEXT
TO THE GENERATOR, AND
SHOOT THEM DOWN!

RIGHT ON DOWN
THOSE STAIRS AND
TURN TO YOUR
LEFT.

ALL RIGHT,
MEN -
READY, AIM -

WAIT BOYS, WAIT!
I... THERE'S SOMETHING
ABOUT THAT MAN WITH HIS
HAT OVER HIS FACE! YOU
SAY HIS NAME'S
PATTON?

YEAH-
PATTON.

WHAT IN-? I THOUGHT
THERE WAS SOMETHING FAMILIAR
ABOUT HIM!
THIS IS OUR OWN
MAN, OLAF!
THIS ISN'T PATTON!

OLAF?

THIS IS THE MAN
WHO SMUGGLED THE
NITRO-GLYCERINE OUT OF
THE PLANT FOR US - AND
IS SUPPOSED TO BE
ABOARD THAT PLANE.
WE'VE BEEN
DOUBLE-CROSSED!

WELL
I'LL BE -

WHAT
ARE YOU
SMILING
ABOUT?

I JUST NOW REALIZED
WHAT THAT SCUFFLE IN THE DARK
BACK OF THAT AIRPLANE WAS
ALL ABOUT! THEY WERE MAKING
PAT HELP 'EM LOAD THE "SOUP"-
AND PAT EVIDENTLY KNOCKED THIS
BIRD ON THE HEAD, EXCHANGED
CLOTHES WITH HIM AND BOARDED
THE PLANE.

ARSON, YOUR SCHEME
IS GOING TO BE A FLOP!